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Japan Takes Foochow in New Drive on China Ports

Advises Foreign Ships To Withdraw; Britain To Maintain Fleet At Maximum Strength

Asiatic Developments

JAPAN AND BRITAIN were believed to have agreed to negotiate settlement of their two-week deadlock over the blockade of the British concession at Tientsin. Page 4.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN both claimed new victories in aerial battles over the Manchukuo-Outer Mongolia border. Page 4.

China Port Closed

Shanghai, Tuesday, June 27.—Japanese reports today said Japanese troops had made a "successful landing" near Foochow, important Chinese port 360 miles south of Shanghai.

A few hours earlier, Japanese naval officials had advised foreign consulates of impending offensives against Foochow, and Wenchow, 130 miles to the north, and requested all foreign ships to withdraw from the two ports.

The moves were in line with Japan's drive to close all coastal gateways for shipment of munitions to Chinese armies.

Britain Cancels Leaves

London, June 26 (P).—Fears of a new European crisis during the late summer or early fall were given further impetus tonight by admiralty orders which would maintain the British fleet at its maximum man power during the month of August.

These orders were made public as Prime Minister Chamberlain indicated fresh instructions would be rushed to British diplomats in Moscow in an effort to speed conclusion of the proposed British-French-Soviet mutual assistance pact.

Regarding the European situation, Chamberlain agreed with a questioner in the House of Commons that delays in the pact negotiations already encountered possibly were increasing war dangers. He said he hoped this possibility was "in the minds of the Soviet government as well."

The admiralty's orders concerning the fleet made no mention of a possible new crisis, but advanced the summer leave period from August to July and abandoned the customary navy week celebration, normally held in August.

Informed quarters pointed out this would make possible mobilization of the fleet if developments warranted, and would permit the fleet to remain in readiness to move with a full complement a month before the German harvest releases the Nazis' full manpower for other duties—a fact regarded as more than mere coincidence.

The Foreign Affairs Committee of the Cabinet, meanwhile, met in a night session to review the Far Eastern situation and to study the new instructions to the British diplomats in Moscow.

Blanket Authority Reported

The Foreign Affairs Committee, International News Service said, agreed with the recommendation of British Ambassador Sir William Seeds in Moscow that Russia's Baltic neighbors—Estonia, Latvia and Finland—be specifically named in a guarantee of aid against aggression.

[This decision, urged upon Britain by France, was to be telegraphed to Seeds during the night or tomorrow morning, the dispatch said. It led to the belief by most British Parliamentarians that successful conclusion of the Anglo-French-Soviet negotiations, which have lasted nearly three months, is now a matter of a few days.]

The United Press said it was understood in Paris that Soviet Russia today warned Britain and France in diplomatic communications that she will withdraw into "voluntary isolation" unless they meet Moscow's demand for direct guarantees to Estonia, Latvia and Finland.

It was believed, the dispatch said, that British and French negotiators would present new proposals to Soviet Premier and Foreign Commissar Molotov Wednesday and agree to go still further toward meeting the Soviet demand.

Unofficial reports were published in Paris today that Chamberlain, under pressure from the French, has sent Seeds blanket authorization to accept all of Molotov's demands regarding the Baltic guarantees. There was no confirmation for these reports, however.—Editor's note.

U. S. Warship Sent to Rescuer

Shanghai, June 26 (P).—Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, commander in chief of the United States Asiatic Fleet, today ordered an American warship stationed after July 1 at Paitasho, North China resort where many American women and children are spending the summer,

Oumansky to Sail For Vacation in Moscow July 5



CONSTANTINE OUMANSKY, Soviet Ambassador, last night confirmed reports he will sail July 5 for Moscow.

Oumansky, recently elevated from charge d'affaires to ambassador, described the trip as a "vacation, the first I've had in three years."

Oumansky's predecessor, Alexander Troyanovsky, went home on a similar leave, and has been assigned since to a minor post in the foreign office.

Randolph Asks \$50,000 to Buy Columbus Dust

Authenticity Disputed As He Suggests U. S. Acquire Relics

The House Library Committee was on the verge last night of plunging itself into a controversy as likely to be settled as the centuries-old puzzle: "Who wrote Shakespeare?"

The question in this case is: "Where are the true remains of Christopher Columbus?"

The answer came unanimously from a half-dozen Washington authorities, who wanted no part of the controversy and who thus spoke anonymously: "Nobody knows."

What brought the committee into the scholarly squabble was introduction of a bill by Representative Jennings Randolph (Democrat, West Virginia), to authorize the Library of Congress to pay a sum "not to exceed \$50,000" for a few

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Woman Leaves \$5,000 in Jewels In D. C. Taxicab

Loss of cash and travelers' checks amounting to \$800, and jewelry valued at \$5,000, in a taxicab yesterday, was reported to police by Miss Mary Hutchinson, registered at Wardman Park Hotel.

Miss Hutchinson told detectives she left the money and jewelry, including three platinum and diamond bracelets and five diamond rings, in a taxicab she boarded at Union Station.

Police located and questioned the driver, but released him following a check of his movements after he left Miss Hutchinson at the store. Another passenger who, the driver said, rode in the cab immediately after Miss Hutchinson, was being sought.

Virginia Petit-Point:

3 Warrenton Men Claim Alibis In Tarring of Count Cassini

Three hard-riding sons of socially prominent Warrenton (Va.) families surrendered to Fauquier County authorities yesterday as their attorney prophesied they would never be brought to trial on the offense for which they are charged—participation in an "organized mob" which early Sunday tarred and feathered Count Ignor Cassini, gossip columnist on a Washington newspaper.

The young men, charged with felonious assault and battery in a warrant issued Sunday, are Ian Montgomery, 28; his brother, Colin Montgomery, 28; and Alex Calvert, 21. Their attorney, W. H. Robertson, advised them to waive a preliminary hearing when they surrendered to Trial Justice B. Richards Glascock, and said that because of the local feeling against the 24-year-old newsmen there was a fifty-fifty chance the case would be quashed before it reached a

scheduled hearing in the September grand jury term.

The three men were released on \$2,500 bond each.

Robertson added that his clients had "a good alibi" and also pointed out that the case comes under a 1936 amendment to the Virginia State code, which makes the offense a misdemeanor punishable by a maximum fine of \$500 and a maximum imprisonment of 12 months in jail.

He said citations of more severe penalties referred to the code before amendment, but that the recent change provided that "any and every person composing a mob which shall be convicted of simple assault and battery shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Cassini, descended from a Russian Ambassador to the United States, said he had recognized the

Neutrality Bill Altered to Avert Defeat

Provision Giving President Right to Establish Combat Areas Is Scrapped

By Robert C. Albright

Democratic members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee agreed informally last night to sacrifice important features of the Administration's neutrality bill in an effort to salvage the key provision for repeal of the arms embargo.

Elimination of at least two sections of the bill, including power for the President to establish wartime "combat areas," and modification of two other provisions, were proposed on the eve of House consideration of the measure today.

Sweeping Changes Advised

The modifying changes were laid before committee Democrats following a leadership conference with members of the Democratic steering committee, which advised sweeping changes in salient provisions to stave off a Republican drive to riddle the measure.

Representative Bloom (Democrat, New York), acting Foreign Affairs Committee chairman, immediately called Democratic members of his group into late afternoon session. It was tentatively decided to offer the modifying amendments from the floor of the House, although a proposal to introduce a complete substitute for the committee bill was discussed. Another conference of committee Democrats was called for this morning, two hours before the measure goes before the full House.

Two Full Sections Dropped

Two full sections to be dropped from the bill under the tentative agreement would include:

Section 3, making it unlawful for American citizens or ships to proceed through any areas of combat operations proclaimed by the President, except under limitations imposed by him. This section was recommended by Secretary of State Hull.

Section 4, prohibiting American vessels trading with belligerent States from carrying "any arms, munitions, or implements of war, except small arms and ammunition." This section is in the present law, and was included in the Bloom bill on recommendation of Representative Tinkham (Republican, of Massachusetts), leading opponent of the bill.

The bill's second section, making it unlawful for Americans to travel on belligerent ships, would be changed to permit such travel "at your own risk," while Section 4, restricting financial transactions with belligerents, would be further modified to restrict Presidential discretion.

Realistic Report Delivered

Even more sweeping revision was said to have been proposed by some members of the Democratic steering committee, who have been sounding out House Democratic support for the bill by regions. A pessimistic report was delivered at yesterday's conference, attended by Speaker Bankhead, Majority Leader Rayburn and ranking Democratic members of the Foreign Affairs Committee.

The new strategy, which apparently will not be submitted to a full meeting of the Foreign Affairs Committee, is designed to improve the chances of first section arms embargo repeal provisions by eliminating other major items of controversy.

First Test Today

First test of strength on the measure will come an hour after the House meets today on adoption of

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Long Succeeds Leche As Louisiana Governor



EARL K. LONG, Governor of Louisiana, today stepped down as a day of swiftly moving developments obscured by mystery, scandal and embezzlement charges.

University Chief, Heavy Loser in Stock Market, Still Missing as Executive Quits at Peak of Scandal Despite Plan to Stay

Baton Rouge, La., June 26.—Earl K. Long was sworn in as Governor of Louisiana at 7:15 o'clock tonight after Gov. Richard W. Leche stepped down as a day of swiftly moving developments obscured by mystery, scandal and embezzlement charges.

Leche, as chief executive, accepted his own resignation by proclamation effective at 7 p. m. and Long was sworn in immediately in hastily arranged ceremonies at the Governor's Mansion.

Long, lieutenant governor under Leche, took over in an atmosphere of confusion and uncertainty which shook the strongly entrenched political dynasty of his brother, the late Huey P. Long to its foundations.

The atmosphere was by no means cleared with the political change-over which occurred only a few minutes after formal charges of embezzlement of \$100,000 of funds of Louisiana State University were filed in District Court here against President James Monroe Smith, who vanished after he resigned yesterday and still is missing.

Designed to "stream-line" the departmental organization to meet expanded needs of the fleet, the proposal would abolish the bureau system, nearly a century old, and place all activity under four offices—Secretary's, Naval Operations, Naval Material, and Marine Corps. It is the Congressional group's answer to criticism directed at the department for delays in shipbuilding.

Reaction to the plan in naval circles is divided. Some officers concerned with shipbuilding favor the proposed consolidation of bureaus concerned with building ships under one head. Air officers oppose the scheme to split up the Bureau of Aeronautics into divisions under the chiefs of operations and material.

Under the plan, the present secretary's office would be enlarged greatly, with all matters concerning personnel, health, morale, law and ordinance coming directly under the civilian head of the Navy. In addition, he would have an inspection staff supervising all phases of naval activities.

The office of naval material would be headed by an admiral, with eight

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My Cutaway, Jeeves, I'm Taking Stroll in Greenbelt

Promenading in bathing suits, shorts, kimono or housecoats through the mercantile area of Greenbelt, Md., was prohibited last night by an ordinance of the town council.

Citizens of the Government-sponsored community packed the small council room for the debate. Opinion on the question was divided, 3 to 2. Chief opposition to the measure came from Sherrod East, vice mayor, who recommended a letter to all residents requesting them "to use discretion" in the matter.

The ordinance, effective July 1, will apply only to persons 14 years of age or more.

A resolution by the council set new rates for use of the Greenbelt swimming pool for nonresidents. Hereafter they will be able to purchase books of ten tickets at \$1 for children and \$2.50 for adults.

Pedestrian a Day Is Not Enough

While original hullabaloo over pedestrian control has died down, the police have no intention of winking at infractions, Inspector William H. Holmes, traffic supervisor, said yesterday.

Instead, he issued special orders calling for a "crack-down" on negligent pedestrians, for he found out that an average of only one arrest a day was being made.

Fight Stalls Schulte Milk Bill in House

Charges of 'Skunk,' 'Rattlesnake' Made By Bates, Schafer; Action Is Deferred

By James D. Secret.

Under a barrage of name-calling that carried out the tradition of the District milk investigation, the Schulte bill was sidetracked for two weeks by the House yesterday after a stormy four-hour debate and filibuster.

Epithets employing the terms "skunk" and "rattlesnake" were hurled back and forth in an angry exchange just before the House voted to postpone further consideration of the legislation until next District day.

Barrel-chested John C. Schafer (Republican, Wisconsin), brought the turbulent session to a close with a vitriolic attack on the use of a dictograph in a downtown hotel and office building in connection with the milk investigation.

Remarks Withdrawn

"The man who set the trap," he bellowed, "is a cross between a polecat and the biggest skunk abroad in the land."

Representative Hoffman (Republican, of Michigan), demanded that Schafer's words be taken down on a question of personal privilege.

Schafer offered to withdraw them, but Representative Smith (Democrat, of Virginia), objected. Later, after the House had voted 89 to 58 to drop the whole matter for the time being, Schafer withdrew the remarks with the consent of Smith.

Before Schafer took the floor Chairman Bates, of the House subcommittee, which conducted the inquiry, clashed angrily with Representative McKeeough (Democrat, of Illinois), over the use of the dictographs.

No Fault of His

Bates defended the action on the ground that the trap was set to "catch a low-down crook."

When asked about a member of Congress being involved, Bates, his voice quivering with emotion, said: "If I set a trap for a rattlesnake and a skunk gets in it, it's no fault of mine."

McKeeough accused the Kentuckian of failing to uphold the dignity of the House, and Bates retorted that the Chicagoan was not then upholding the dignity of the House by his accusations.

Prior to the verbal fireworks, Bates pleaded with the House membership to vote down the Schulte bill.

"Are you going to turn this city over to a bunch of racketeers?" he asked.

Bates asserted that on the eve of the opening of the milk investigation one Health Department inspector committed suicide and subsequently a second inspector went to a sanitarium.

Victory for Representative Smith

"And the man who tried to sell us out is now awaiting trial as a perjurer," he added.

The blocking of the Schulte bill for a fortnight marked a victory for Representative Smith and the Maryland and Virginia members, who had opposed it on the ground that it would open the Washington milksheds to the financial detriment of producers in this area and would lower the standard of milk sold in the District.

The debate will be resumed on the measure next District day where it left off yesterday, with about 40 minutes to be consumed, after which the bill will be read for amendments.

Four quorum calls, forcing as many roll call votes, were forced by opponents of the Schulte bill.

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It Happens Here

Half of Autoists Seized Here As Reckless Go Unpunished

This is the third in a series on loopholes in the law through which traffic offenders escape.

By Howard F. Westworth

Nearly 50 per cent of all District motorists arrested for reckless driving last year escaped imposition of fines or jail sentences for their offenses.

Statistics are cold and uninteresting, but when they reveal the difference between adequate and apparently inadequate systems of traffic law prosecutions in cities fighting to foster safe and sane motoring, it is time to pay heed.

Traffic records show that 43 per cent of last year's arrests for hit-and-run ended without penalty—fines or jail—for the accused. Of those arrested for drunken driving, 34 per cent were not forced to pay fines or serve jail terms.

Of 22 cases involving negligent homicide charges sent to Police

Senate Kills Right Of President to Devalue Dollar

What the Senate Money Bill Does

THE MONETARY BILL, passed by the Senate last night, continues the House-approved \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund for two years.

IT ALTERS THE HOUSE BILL, however, by depriving the President of his power to lower the gold content of the dollar another 9 per cent and by fixing a statutory price of 77.37 cents per ounce for newly mined domestic silver. The House measure continued the Secretary of the Treasury's right to set the Treasury price for silver, now 64.64 cents.

THE SENATE ALSO ADDED to the House bill an amendment wiping out the Treasury's power to purchase foreign silver.

NEWS OF THE ACTION stunned business circles in Mexico, since this country has been buying practically all of Mexico's silver production.

Borrowing Unit Proposed for Lending Drive

One Corporation Would Raise All Money for \$3,060,000,000 Plan

Administration officials drafting a bill to carry out the new lending plan are considering creation of a single corporation to borrow money to finance the \$3,060,000,000 of "self-liquidating" projects for which the program calls, it was learned yesterday.

Whether this proposal will be incorporated in the bill has not been decided, Senator Barkley, of Kentucky, Democratic leader, explained. Barkley has a tentative draft of the bill, but there is some uncertainty as to when it will be whipped into final shape and introduced.

A single corporation, it is said, would be the simplest and most convenient way to handle the financing problem involved in the new program.

The hitch, however, appears to lie in the idea being disadvantageous from a political standpoint. A single corporation might make the plan a more conspicuous target of Congressional attack.

Creation of a "Federal Loan Act" See LENDING, Page 7, Column 2.

Plane Rushes Aid to New-Born Maryland Babe

Medical science took to the air early today to rush a special respirator-incubator here from Boston to save the life of a premature baby, expected momentarily by a nearby Maryland mother.

Dr. Walter W. Boyd, staff obstetrician at Garfield Hospital, fearful that by ordinary channels the incubator would arrive too late, ordered the life-saving device flown here by Eastern Air Lines plane.

The doctor, who met the plane at Washington Airport, said the incubator was ordered as a safety measure.

Most Obvious Trade

"It was the most obvious trade you could imagine," commented one Republican Senator. "We were willing to pay the price to the silverites for the terrific victory we have won in blocking the purchase of foreign silver and taking the devaluation power away from the President."

With each of the two groups realizing that alone it could not hope to beat down the loyal Administration vote, silverite and anti-devaluation leaders began making overtures toward each other last week. But it was not until yesterday, when the balloting was only a few

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

DICTAPHONE: Behind the scenes, there's another tag of war among the New Dealers. Attorney General Murphy wants to go after Democratic boss Hague's scalp in Jersey City, and privately plans to move north after he's clipped the Republican boss in Atlantic City.

But other important persons are loath to back the New Jersey delegation in the pants suit before the 1940 convention, and won't give the go-ahead signal. Even among New Dealers there are idealists and more or less practical politicians.

By this time Grover Whalen, the World Fair man, who isn't exactly overenthusiastic, is unmistakably aware of the President's displeasure at the 70-minute delay in the King's progress from Flushing to Hyde Park. It was caused by Whalen's ringing in a lot of Tammany politics to milt the King.



—through the rear door

Unlike most committees, all meetings of the Senate Appropriations Committee are secret. There is no audience to stare or glare at with poses varying more or less spending. And the committee room has several doors; about seven times out of ten Senator Jimmy Byrnes can outguess the press and duck out an unguarded portal.

Ever since Hitler sent assurances to a League of Nations official that he could return to Danzig, secure that there'd be no trouble there till September, our diplomats have partially resigned themselves to a Danzig putch in July or August.

One of the classic tales which bureaucrats love to tell is about a young patriot of Seneca, Pa., who was almost drafted by the Army in 1918. His district was ordered to supply ten draftees, and he, as No. 11, was ordered to report at the railroad station to see if one of the first ten failed to appear.



—he had two minutes

He got on the train, found all of the other ten were on deck, got off the train and back to civilian life at the next station, 1 mile away. Since then, so the story goes, he has won disability benefits and disabled veterans' preference in civil service exams. Anyhow, that's the way they tell it at the Civil Service Commission, where they don't like veterans' preference much.

To show you how thoroughly Washington's parades are organized for the edification of Cuban dictators, Brazilian generals and English kings, here's a verbatim extract from instructions to three subeditors by a foreman:

"Now listen! Stand at your posts, because you'll have to rush out immediately after the Cavalry passes. You'll only have two minutes before arrival of the tank!"

Of Senators of bygone days who haunt the Hill, those seen oftenest are Brookhart of Iowa, on the fringe of left wing farm bills; Heflin of Alabama, perennially after a job, but flaxed because he bolted the Democratic ticket against Al Smith; and Gore of Oklahoma, the eighties Senator, who remains surprisingly active, keeping a finger on all sorts of legislation and popping into offices with his guide, in pursuit of tidbits of information.

Most Senators find it too bitter a pill to swallow to remain on the scene of their great moments but shorn of membership in the world's greatest debating society.

P. S.—Heflin got the job via Attorney General Murphy; a smart move, befriending a man who opposed Al Smith.

In Congress

By the United Press

TODAY

Senate
Debates 1940 relief bill.
Committees: Education and Labor on Wagner act amendments.
House
Debates neutrality revision.
Committees: Appropriations sub on WPA investigation; Judiciary on alien bills.

YESTERDAY

Senate
Recessed at 6:30 p. m. until 11 a. m. today.
Passed bill extending currency stabilization fund but discontinue Presidential power to devalue the dollar.
Committees: Education and Labor heard witnesses on Wagner act amendments; Finance on social security amendments.
House
Adjourned at 5:35 p. m. until noon today.
Considered District of Columbia bill.
Committees: Banking and Currency heard Housing Administrator Straus on USHA bonds.

Public Works Split Governors On Party Lines

Republican Attack Led By Baldwin; Lehman, Stark Deny Charges

By the Associated Press

Albany, N. Y., June 26.—New Deal public works spending today split 22 Governors into strict party camps as Republican Raymond E. Baldwin, Connecticut, scored such "pump priming" as "Government competition with private industry."

New York's Herbert H. Lehman, heir to the office abandoned by President Roosevelt when he moved to the White House, led denial by Democratic executives attending the thirty-first annual Governors conference in Albany's massive old capitol.

"We have not in this State found any competition between the public works program with private enterprise," replied Lehman, whose general agreement with Roosevelt policy has not been constant.

There is no doubt, Lehman continued, "jobs for private enterprise are more desirable, but we are faced with an actuality. Industry hasn't been able to give jobs."

Democrats Back Lehman

In a formal address Gov. Baldwin said:

"Public works to my view is an enduring function of government, not an emergency or 'pump priming' undertaking. . . . No man is safe when government can step in and take his business, his job in that business away from him."

Other Democrats joining Lehman in rebuttal included Lloyd C. Stark, Missouri; Robert L. Cochran, Nebraska; Richard C. McMullen, Delaware; M. Clifford Townsend, Indiana, and Fred P. Cone, Florida. They echoed Lehman's views, while Gov. Townsend answered Gov. Baldwin's statement that Federal public works costs were excessive by asserting: "Public works projects in our State are efficient under the Federal Government and the State is satisfied it couldn't do the job any cheaper."

The Connecticut leader's stand was supported orally by Republican Govs. Nels Smith, Wyoming; Payne Ratner, Kansas; John W. Bricker, Ohio, and George D. Aiken, Vermont.

Lehman Denies Charges

"Public works cost about three times as much under the Federal Government as it would under the State's supervision," Gov. Smith said. "Furthermore, in our State we can't get laborers for our ranches because they are told if they take other work they can't get back on the WPA."

Gov. Lehman replied he had investigated similar charges of labor shortages in New York and found them unfounded.

Arms Bill Revised To Avert Defeat

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The special rule governing debate on the measure. Defeat of the rule would be equivalent to rejection of the bill. The measure would be brought to a vote on the floor of the House after the bill is passed by the Senate.

Embargo Repeal Passage Indicated

All leadership polls of the House have indicated the embargo repeal of the bill would pass, but combined opposition to this and other sections had threatened an upset. Secretary Hull had strongly recommended both repeal of the embargo and enactment of Presidential power to regulate travel in combat areas.

Some Democrats said privately their difficulties with the bill had been increased by French Foreign Minister Bonnet's appeal for the United States to line up with Great Britain and France in event of any conflict. Senator Borah (Republican), of Idaho, immediately declared the American people can make their own decisions. House Republicans prepared to file the speech in an opening blast—charging repeal of the arms embargo will discriminate in favor of Britain and France, in control of the seas.

Foreign Affairs Committee Democrats are expected to explain proposed modification in the bill at the outset of today's debate on the rule. Later the amendments will be offered by members acting as individuals, without formal committee action. Four of the 15 committee Democrats were absent from the House yesterday, leaving an almost even division of committee Democrats and Republicans.

Opens Markets to Trade

Passage of the measure as tentatively revised would open American markets to trade in all commodities with belligerents, with the stipulation that foreign purchases acquire title to the goods before shipment. This would supersede provisions for "cash and carry" trade with belligerents in commodities other than arms, which expired last spring.

Tinkham is expected to propose the old "cash and carry" provision as a substitute for the bill's first section.

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE NEW YORK CITY TRADING COMPANY has declared a quarterly dividend of 10 percent on its capital stock of \$3,400,000, payable July 10, 1939, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on June 10, 1939.

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On Capitol Hill

Rep. Rogers Denounces Bill Providing War Risk Insurance for Foreign Ships

Representative Edith Nourse Rogers (Republican), Massachusetts, yesterday issued a statement denouncing a measure to provide war risk insurance for foreign ships.

The Senate Judiciary Committee approved, 10 to 8, a proposed constitutional amendment to give Congress express power to levy taxes for old-age pensions.

The amendment is supported by Townsend plan advocates who argue that it is essential in order to make it clear that Congress has such taxing power. Supporting the amendment were Senators Ashurst (Democrat), of Arizona; Neely (Democrat), of West Virginia; McCarran (Democrat), of Nevada; Van Nuys (Democrat), of Indiana; Logan (Democrat), of Kentucky; Miller (Democrat), of Arkansas; O'Mahoney (Democrat), of Wyoming; Austin (Republican), of Vermont; Danaher (Republican), of Connecticut; and Wiley (Republican), of Wisconsin. Opposing the amendment were Senators King (Democrat), of Utah; Eath (Democrat), of New Mexico; Burke (Democrat), of Nebraska; Hughes (Democrat), of Delaware; Borah (Republican), of Idaho; and Norris (Independent), of Nebraska.

The Senate confirmed the nomination of former Senator F. Ryan Duffy, of Wisconsin, to be Federal judge for the eastern district of Wisconsin.

The Senate Military Affairs Committee favorably reported a bill permitting the War Department to dispense with customary open bidding on contracts outside of continental United States in order to increase speed and secrecy of such military construction.

President Roosevelt requested Congress to make available \$500,000 for immediate construction of a Coast Guard base and air station at Kodiak, Alaska. Congress recently authorized the Treasury

Long Takes Oath As Leche Quits

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pending the university affairs investigation.

Then, shortly before 7 o'clock, political leaders gathered at the executive mansion. Within a few minutes the King's brother was at the helm.

Later today the university board of supervisors met with Leche to go over auditors' reports which informed persons said showed unauthorized issues of university bonds that might total \$750,000.

The mystery of Smith's disappearance, apparently with his wife and another couple, was heightened by the remark of one official the university "might not lose a single cent."

Smith handled expenditure of more than \$13,500,000 in building up the university from enrollment of less than 2,000 to more than 8,000 since he was put in as president by Huey Long in 1936.

Politicians Swam Mansion

Police throughout the State watched highways and trains for Smith. The man who by his own statement made it his creed to "get along with the politicians" apparently began to slip in administration last week when he said university sale of material for private purposes was not its policy and would be stopped.

This statement was in disagreement with previous explanation by Leche defending use of university trucks in delivery of university-fabricated material to a building site near New Orleans.

Anxious politicians streamed into the Governor's mansion for conferences with the chief executive, who several days ago said he would quit today because of ailing health and a desire to travel.

None knew whether these parleys dealt with the alleged university scandal or were conferences called to lessen strain on the administration's political machine, weakened by uncertainty of Leche's position.

In addition to politicians, Baton Rouge swarmed today with investigators, Federal and State, in an electric atmosphere closely resembling the anxious days following Huey Long's fatal shooting here nearly four years ago.

Armed guards patrolled the university campus, guarding Smith's house and office. Federal investigators pored over university books and examined witnesses pursuant to the WPA investigation ordered last week following published charges in connection with WPA work around the university.

In the midst of this atmosphere the Federal grand jury in New Orleans suddenly announced it would carry out its own investigation of alleged WPA irregularities in Louisiana, assuming complete control of the case.

Smith's Nephew Held

Emory J. Adams, Smith's nephew, voluntarily surrendered late today and was held as a material witness under \$5,000 bond in the Smith case. Some persons looked for action from Attorney General Murphy, who was garlanded by Smith with an honorary university degree here less than a month ago.

It was recalled that Murphy chose while in New Orleans to voice a blast against political corruption, soon after that a New Orleans newspaper exposed use of university materials for the house in New Orleans suburbs. Leche hastily ordered an investigation and court hearing, canceled the latter and announced he would quit just after State WPA Administrator J. H. Crutcher disclosed the Federal WPA investigation already was under way.

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U. S. to Probe Engineering Trade Groups

Justice Department Charges Elimination Of Competition

By the United Press

Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold announced last night that the Justice Department's "trust-busting" division soon will begin a major phase of its anti-monopoly campaign with a Federal grand jury investigation into the control of some trade associations by management engineering companies.

Arnold, working in close co-operation with Attorney General Murphy, said that the inquiry will be conducted by a Federal jury in the Southern District of New York in the near future. Evidence gathered by him and his aides over a period of time will be presented for possible action.

Arnold emphasized that the scope of the investigation includes "only a few" management engineering firms and should not be "considered a reflection" against them or the many "legitimate and useful" functions of trade associations in general.

The Justice Department already has similar cases pending or settled in the newspaper, motion picture, milk, oil, fertilizer and typewriter industries.

Asserting that his division considers the trade associations investigation "one of the most important which it is now undertaking," Arnold stressed, however, that the Justice Department's policy "should be regarded not as an attack on trade associations but as an attempt to give them the maximum freedom to accomplish their legitimate purposes."

According to evidence gathered by his division, Arnold said a few of the firms have entered the field of organizing trade associations aimed at the elimination of competition from firms which will not enter into price or production agreements with other concerns, he charged.

A. F. of L. Charges Lewis With Wrecking Peace

By the United Press

The American Federation of Labor charged last night that "Dictator" John L. Lewis has refused collective bargaining on matters affecting himself and has "thereby sealed the fate of many progressive undertakings and laws."

An editorial in the American Federationist, edited by A. F. L. President William Green, declared the federation has "made sincere efforts to bridge the chasm" between itself and "the secession group" but that Lewis, as president of the C. I. O., has "declared that there would be no further participation in peace conferences."

The editorial accused Lewis of ingratitude for Roosevelt's wrecking the Presidentially inaugurated peace conferences. It said the President had "intervened effectively" when Lewis' union United Mine Workers reached an impasse in bargaining with Appalachian soft coal operators, and, as a result of his efforts, "the miners gained a complete victory."

Farley Says New Deal Will Win 1940 Election

Augusta, Me., June 26 (U.P.)—On the accomplishments of the Administration, the New Deal will win the 1940 Presidential election, Postmaster James A. Farley declared today.

Farley, en route to Augusta to address a postmasters' convention said: "It makes no difference to us who the Republicans nominate, because we will beat them on the accomplishments of the Administration."

Farley, accompanied by his two daughters, Betty and Ann, said he would leave for Europe next month.

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Senate Group Keeps 1-Man WPA Control

Sub-committee Also Gives Back 125 Million Handed WPA by House

By the United Press

The Administration salvaged important sections of its \$1,735,000,000 relief bill from the scrap heap yesterday when a Senate appropriations sub-committee eliminated several drastic House changes including that substituting a three-man board for the present WPA administrator.

Chairman Alva B. Adams (Democrat), Colorado, said the full committee "would consider the revised measure this morning and that it may be considered by the Senate at noon."

In addition to abolishing the provision for the three-man administrative board, the sub-committee restored to the WPA \$125,000,000 of its fund which the House allocated to the Public Works Administration, and reinstated funds for the Federal theater project on condition that local sponsors bear part of the cost.

The fund for farm security was kept at \$23,000,000 and the National Youth Administration was given \$100,000,000, together with unexpended 1938 balances, as approved by the House.

Other action taken by the committee included: Decreased contributions of a State toward projects in the works program must average 25 per cent of the total cost during a year.

Eliminated House provision for allocation of funds among States on basis of unemployment, population and need and substituted a standard of need only.

Changed the House "vacation" provision to provide that a person on the eligible list, but unemployed by WPA for six months, would be given preference over a person employed for 18 months.

Retained the House restriction of \$60,000 upon the Federal contribution to any one project.

President Roosevelt had voiced opposition to the WPA grant, warning that it would throw 165,000 WPA employees out of work. WPA Administrator F. C. Harrington fought the board proposal and Actress Tallulah Bankhead came down from New York to plead for the theater project.

Straus Urges Doubling of USHA Loan Limit

By the Associated Press

Nathan Straus, United States Housing Administration, told the House Banking Committee yesterday that unless additional funds were made available for new USHA projects "a substantial interruption in employment and construction" was inevitable, and urged that USHA's authority to lend \$600,000 for development of low-cost housing be doubled.

The Administration also urged approval of a request that \$45,000,000 be added to USHA's fund for grants-in-aid to bring rentals within the reach of low-income families.

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Reserve Board Clarifies Act

The Federal Reserve Board announced yesterday that, effective July 1, it has amended the definition of the term "executive officer" contained in Section 1(b) of its Regulation O, which relates to loans to executive officers of member banks.

Section 22 (2) of the Federal Reserve Act, which restricts loans to "executive officers" and which is implemented by the board's Regulation O, makes a distinction between "executive officers" and other officers.

As amended, the regulation would not apply to a person, regardless of his title, who has no authority to perform and actually does not perform the duties of an executive, especially in view of the fact that the law does not restrict loans to directors who are not also executive officers.

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'No Monk,' Says Buckner of Liquor Parties

Lobbyist Pictures Self As Just Doing His Best For Philippine Bonds

By the Associated Press
New York, June 26.—William P. Buckner, Jr., pictured himself today as a lobbyist who in good faith had done his best to have the defaulted bonds of the Philippine Railway Company redeemed either by the Insular or United States Government, and blandly acknowledged that in that campaign he never had supposed he "had to become a monk."

Buckner, a gay young promoter whose counsel had described him as "perhaps a trifle bibulous, but no thief," is on trial with four others on charges of mail fraud and conspiracy.

The Government's accusation against him is two-fold: First, that as chairman of the Philippine Bondholders Protective Committee he wasted in conviviality money put up in the hope of having the securities made good; and, second, that it was part of the accused conspirators' plan to buy up the bonds at a low market in anticipation of their redemption.

Defends Lobbying Here

Buckner said he hadn't sought the job as chairman of the committee and that he had spent a considerable amount of his own money paying expenses.

It was, as he told it, a job that required a great deal of wine and dining.

"In Washington," he explained, "we entertained anybody in the Government or anybody who was related to anybody in the Government."

"Why?" asked Defense Attorney John Minlon.

"Because," said Buckner, "I was vitally interested in getting some favorable legislation and there is nobody in Washington who will listen to you in his office. We took them to cocktail parties and fights."

We took Senator Walsh (Democrat), Massachusetts, and his secretary; Congressman and their secretaries; newspapermen, any number of people."

The young promoter testified that by a system of telegraphic pressure—inducing certain Massachusetts holders of Philippine bonds to wire their wishes to Walsh—the Senator had reluctantly introduced on August 21, 1937, near the end of the session, a bill by which the U. S. Government would have guaranteed payment of the defaulted bonds.

Buckner likewise brought in the name of Representative Lanzetta (Democrat), of New York, saying Lanzetta was his "contact man" in Washington—like something I had in the bank.

There were likewise vague mentions of the names of other prominent persons, over the objection of Assistant U. S. Attorney William P. Maloney, who pointed out that such persons should not be mentioned without "giving them an opportunity to defend themselves."

Among those referred to casually by Buckner but not in any way stigmatized by him were John Farley—who he said he understood was a brother of Postmaster General James A. Farley—and Marvin McIntyre.

Without going into detail concerning Buckner's casual mention of the names of prominent Washington politicians, Maloney remarked merely that the Government had made an investigation "which shows that no such things happened."

"I never spoke of Senator Walsh about the (bond guarantee) bill specifically," Buckner testified. "I thought he was very friendly with me but I got the impression he was thoroughly tired of lobbying and I didn't want to bother him."

He said he had hoped to have the bill introduced in the House by Lanzetta, but that the Representative finally had decided to decline.

Buckner said he then sent for a friend, Albert Coyle, of New York, to persuade Representative Crocker (Democrat), of Ohio, to submit the bill and that Crocker agreed.

Senator Reluctant

Meanwhile, the witness added, Senator Walsh invited him to breakfast and said he was reluctant to introduce the measure.

Buckner told of a visit to Brig. Gen. Fox, chief of the Department of Insular Affairs of the War Department, and to a Col. McDonald, but said "the general didn't want to hear about it and the colonel wanted to hear less."

He added he'd tried to talk to R. Walton Moore, State Department counselor, about the bonds, but that "he talked about the best families in Virginia."

"... I next went to Mr. Jacobs, head of the Far East division. I received very little encouragement from him. He didn't decline to discuss the matter. Diplomats do not decline anything."

Later, the witness went on, there was a dinner at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, attended by Lanzetta, a "Judge Casey" and others.

"Where the ladies who were brought in by the 'milkmaid ladies' asked Attorney Minlon."

"At least," said Buckner, with a broad grin.

Among other persons with whom the promoter testified he had interviews were Senator Nye (Republican) of North Dakota, and Harry B. Hawes, of Missouri, a former Senator. Hawes, he said, had appeared more interested in a theory that he and Buckner were cousins and had "dragged out a big family album and finally proved we were cousins."

Marching Shriners Flood Baltimore For Annual Convention Opening Today



Associated Press photo.

Lester Sturdy, cigar and all, rehearses his bit as a dancing girl at the National Shrine convention in Baltimore with music by two fellow members of the Medinah Temple, Chicago.

By the Associated Press

Baltimore, June 26.—Shriners swarmed into this gayly decorated city by the thousands today—marching, capering and electioneering on the eve of their sixty-fifth annual national convention.

Harassed officials at convention headquarters estimated the visitors at 30,000, taxing lodging facilities and swelling traffic.

Most of the nobles devoted themselves to fun-making but supporters of three candidates for imperial outer guard—automatically the imperial potentate 12 years hence—were busily seeking pledges among temple delegations.

Screen comedian Harold Lloyd, William Heim, of Philadelphia, and John Zink, of Baltimore, director general of the convention, definitely were candidates for the most important elective post to be filled

at the imperial council session Wednesday.

Formal sessions of the imperial council, headed by Imperial Potentate A. A. D. Rahn, of Minneapolis, open tomorrow, and will be followed by the first of two major parades.

The Royal Order of Shrine Jesters, following its rule-of-12, met at 2:15 p. m. and set its all-night frolic and banquet for 11:15 p. m. The Association of Shrine Records (secretaries) also held its annual meeting and banquet.

D. C. Hotels Crowded

The right flank of a mighty army, 100,000 red-ferzed Nobles of the Mystic Shrine advancing on Baltimore for the sixty-fifth Imperial Council of the order, invaded Washington yesterday to seek sheltered lodgings by overcrowded hotels.

Monopoly Group To Open Building Trade Probe

By the Associated Press

The Monopoly Committee announced yesterday it would begin hearings today on its study of what factors may be retarding recovery in the building industry. Joseph J. O'Connell, Treasury representative on the committee, will act as counsel.

Among those expected to testify are R. R. Rogers, vice president of the Prudential Insurance Co., Newark, N. J.; Henry Bruere, president of the Bowery Savings Bank, New York; Simeon Leland, chairman of the Illinois Tax Commission; Stanley Parker, of Boston, president of the Construction League of America; H. D. Pettibone, president of the Chicago Title & Trust Co.; Robert E. Wood, chairman of Sears Roebuck & Co.; Gerard P. Lambert, industrialist of Princeton, N. J.; and Thomas W. Holden, vice president of F. W. Dodge Corporation, New York.

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Hitch-Hiker Confesses Road Murder

Convict Forces Girl Of Victim To Ride in Car With Him 7 Hours

By International News Service

Laingsburg, Mich., June 26.—Arrested shortly after he was identified as the killer, Daniel Kent, 32, a paroled convict, today admitted to State police that he shot George Hall, oil promoter, in his automobile last Thursday.

Kent was identified from a photograph by Ruby Doty Hall's secretary, as the scar-faced hitch-hiker who shot Hall. Miss Doty testified before a coroner's jury at an inquest into Hall's death. Kent's arrest followed quickly.

Miss Doty, who often used the name "Mrs. Hall" while traveling with her employer, told the jurors Kent shot Hall in the back, hid his body in a clump of bushes near Laingsburg, and then forced her to drive about country roads for seven hours before he left her in Grand Rapids.

She said Hall decided to pick up Kent on the road because, he said, "he looks like a nice, clean kid."

After her release by the killer, Miss Doty rushed into the Grand Rapids police headquarters and informed them of the slaying.

Miss Doty wept continuously during the 40 minutes she was on the stand in the fire hall made over for the inquest.

She said: "I held Mr. Hall while the hitch hiker drove. I begged him to take us to a doctor. He said: 'There'll be a doctor at the hideout I'm taking you to.'"

"His conversation was very insulting. About 9 o'clock he told me to turn Mr. Hall around. Then he dragged him out of the car to a clump of bushes."

"We drove on and after he proposed I accompany him to Chicago and I pretended to agree, he told me: 'You're a pretty good scout.'"

"Miss Doty said when she left him in Grand Rapids she pretended to agree to meet him later to go to Chicago."

The Ahmese Temple delegation, from Oakland, Calif., yesterday announced their intention of visiting Washington tomorrow (Wednesday), headed by Potentate Arthur R. Anderson and bringing with them Shriners from 11 Western States.

Stanley D. Willis, potentate of Almas Temple, heads the Washington delegation in Baltimore, accompanied by Frederick Wilken, band leader; Wilbur D. Kleffer, drum major; Capt. Jesse E. Porter, Arab Patrol; Frank M. Graham, Oriental Band; and Capt. A. C. Foster, Legion of Honor.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 26 (AP).—Members of the National Women's Party were resolved to fight legislation which does, or would, prohibit in varying degrees the right of married women to hold jobs.

Winding up its annual Eastern convention here yesterday, the party adopted a resolution condemning attacks on married women's right to work.

Edwina Austin Avery, Washington attorney, observed that "if this propaganda becomes general, marriage will be postponed until the thirties, and there will be fewer children."

Officers elected included Miss Alma Ambrose, of Baltimore, president; Mrs. Ellis H. Schnabel, Philadelphia, vice president; Miss Annette Jergen, Baltimore, secretary.

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Miss Marjorie Fox, 1724 Seventeenth street northwest, is the popular soprano who will be featured on this morning's PDS program. Miss Fox works in the Treasury Department and studies music with Elsie Kaufman.

"Station PDS Presents," broadcast by Lee Everett from the Peoples Drug Store Studios, Eleventh and G streets northwest, is presented each weekday morning from 7:30 to 8:30 by Peoples Drug stores in co-operation with The Washington Post. Audiences over 18 years old may participate in the auditions at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday at the N. B. C. studios. Performers are paid \$5 for their appearance on this program.

SEC Exempts Allied Chemical From Holding Act

The Securities Commission exempted the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation of New York from the public utility holding company act yesterday, although it owns 10.7 per cent of the voting stock in the American Light & Traction Co.

The commission said that while the utility law of 1935 defined owners of 10 or more per cent of the stock in a utility as holding companies, Allied Chemical did not actually control American Light and Traction, and the stock ownership was incidental to the main business of Allied.

The commission pointed out that more than half of the stock of American Light and Traction is owned by United Light and Power Co.

Navy Bureaus Face Abolition

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rear admiral assistants directing divisions dealing with ship construction, aircraft, ordnance, plants, supply, accounting, disbursements and administration. The office of naval operations would be left largely as it is, with a vice admiral as assistant chief.

Nineteen division chief posts would be created, carrying the rank of rear admiral, compared with the present seven bureau heads. Another change would transfer all staff officers except doctors, dentists and chaplains to the line. Vinson has asked Navy officials to prepare a report and plans to bring the matter before his committee as soon as possible.

Two ICC Heads Ask Rein Over Rail Expenditures

By the Associated Press.
Joseph B. Eastman and Charles D. Mahaffie, Interstate Commerce Commissioners, urged a Senate committee yesterday to approve legislation which would confine railroad expenditures to railroad purposes, except with I. C. C. approval.

They told an Interstate Commerce sub-committee that certain financial practices, including purchases of railroad securities, had helped bankrupt many carriers.

The legislation would also give the I. C. C. access to books of subsidiaries and many companies dealing with railroads as well as control over security issues of subsidiaries.

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Japan, Britain Open Talks to End Blockade

Speedy Negotiations Likely as Powers Try To Break Impasse

By the Associated Press.
Tokyo (Tuesday), June 27.—Preliminary talks are under way for a settlement of the 14-day British-Japanese deadlock at Tientsin, it was said authoritatively today, with actual negotiations expected to develop speedily with agreement upon a "few remaining points."

British Ambassador Craigie conferred half an hour yesterday with Foreign Minister Arita, on a basis for a settlement.

It was understood one of the points to be ironed out before actual negotiations start centers around the place of the conferences. Japan was understood to be desirous of holding the conference in Tientsin, but Britain preferred holding the conversations directly with the Foreign Office in Tokyo.

It was said Japan had not yet outlined concrete demands for a settlement. So far Japanese demands have been confined to reports Japanese army spokesmen in China had declared Britain must promise to cease support of Chiang Kai-shek and to aid Japan in establishing her "new order in Asia."

A foreign office spokesman said "no time limit" had been set for the start of final negotiations.

Earlier today reports in Tientsin told of Japanese moves to arrange a settlement through their Chinese puppet regime in Peiping. These unconfirmed rumors said the Japanese were growing tired of the deadlock and had turned to their Chinese friends to "save face" for Japanese army authorities.

Reports also had circulated in London Monday that Japan had agreed to open negotiations, and would lift the blockade soon after the beginning of conversations.

Prime Minister Chamberlain had told the House of Commons he had "some reason to hope" for a peaceful settlement, and that he hoped the Tokyo government "will be able to restrain their subordinates in Tientsin."

Stricter Ban Rumored

Tientsin (Tuesday), June 27 (AP).—In contrast to the rumors of attempts at a settlement, there was current a report Japanese military authorities were preparing for a stricter blockade of the British and French concessions.

This report, also unconfirmed, said stricter measures would be enforced next Friday if the British had not by then complied with a demand for "closer co-operation with the Chinese section of Tientsin."

British military authorities have taken sharp exception to action of Japanese soldiers Monday in holding up a British military truck seeking to enter the concession with foodstuffs for the garrison.

Chinese members of the British and French concession municipal police whose families live in Japanese-controlled areas received another threat against their own lives and those of their families.

Swallow Port Barred

Hongkong, June 26 (AP).—Japanese naval authorities announced today they had forbidden third-power vessels to discharge either passengers or cargo at Swallow harbor even to approach the wharves there.

The new Japanese order, according to Japanese reports, followed entry into Swallow harbor today of two British vessels. Japanese naval authorities ordered them not to approach the wharves. The vessels left Swallow soon afterward.

British naval authorities replied their warships would continue escorting British vessels into Swallow harbor.

Byrnes Introduces Bill To Effect Cotton Barter

Senator Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina, yesterday introduced legislation authorizing the Commodity Credit Corporation to put into effect as soon as possible the recently concluded agreement to exchange 600,000 bales of American surplus cotton for about \$30,000,000 worth of British rubber.

The authorization would be contingent on Senate ratification of the agreement.

Three Warrenton Men Claim Alibis in Tarring Of Igor Cassini; Expect Case to Be Quashed

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three men as the ones who, with two other companions, lured him from the Warrenton Country Club dance shortly after midnight Saturday, abducted him in an automobile and tarred and feathered him in a lonely spot some miles away. He said he did not know the names of his other assailants but could identify them on sight.

He added he had been severely beaten and repeatedly threatened with emasculation, to the point where one of his attackers actually was brandishing a razor and was only dissuaded after an argument with the others.

Chit-chat Causes Attack

Cause of the attack, Cassini surmised from remarks during his ride and subsequent tarring, were items appearing in his daily chit-chat column, "Petit Point," about prominent Warrentonians.

Authorities said they were investigating suspects to identify the other two participants.

As formal legal action came to a temporary halt which may continue until the September hearings, repercussions of the bizarre case stirred the center of the Virginia hunt country into a turmoil which has already resulted in an arrest and conviction and a near flat fight.

Most curious aftermath was the conviction of Thomas A. P. Krock for carrying a concealed weapon. He was fined \$20 and costs yesterday. Krock, a friend of Cassini and son of Arthur Krock, New York Times chief political writer here, said he was carrying a pistol for fear Cassini's abductors would "get" him as well. He said it was not loaded and not concealed.

When it was pointed out that a town officer thought he had heard Krock say he had "killed two people," Krock replied the killings were strictly military in nature and occurred in the Spanish revolution.

Angry Words Exchanged

The near fight occurred yesterday when Maj. Austin McDonnell, at whose home Cassini was staying before the attack, met Ian Montgomery on a Warrenton street. Words were exchanged and fists were poised before companions stepped between and prevented a street fight.

Meantime, Warrenton buzzed with excitement and rumor about the event. The town was the scene of heated arguments and conflicting versions of the extent of Cassini's injuries and whether he had been tarred or merely smeared with easily-removable oil.

Cassini had recovered sufficiently yesterday to return to Washington. The Montgomery brothers are sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery. Their father is a gentleman farmer in Warrenton. Calvert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Calvert, of Warrenton, formerly of Pittsburgh.

U.S. Asked to Buy Dust of Columbus

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particles of dust alleged to be a portion of the mortal remains of the discoverer of America.

Three Cities Claim Honor

According to authorities here, remains of Christopher Columbus, if they exist at all, may be found in one of three places—the Cathedral at Seville in Spain, the Cathedral at Santo Domingo, capital city of the Dominican Republic and oldest European settlement in the Western Hemisphere, or in Havana.

The Academy of Spain some years ago declared the remains at Seville positively to be the true remains of Columbus and has since refused to budge. The government of the Dominican Republic has been equally unyielding.

Representative Randolph's bill would enable the Library to buy the "Castillo locket" and a gold and crystal crucifix, each containing fragments of Columbus' dust, taken from Santo Domingo. Both relics repose in a vault in Shepherdstown, W. Va., in Representative Randolph's district. Both are the property of Mrs. Laura Butler Treadwell, native of Shepherdstown, now a resident of Los Angeles.

Library Has Part of Estate

Mrs. Treadwell will be represented at hearings on the bill, scheduled for 10 a. m. tomorrow, by LeRoy Romanoff who, Randolph said,



Countess Marguerite Cassini is shown in Warrenton yesterday with her son, Count Igor Cassini, as he described how he was lured from a country club dance there, tarred and feathered, and assaulted. Ian Montgomery and Alex Calvert, shown at right, are charged with participating in the attack on Cassini. Thomas A. P. Krock (also shown at right), a friend of Cassini, was fined for carrying a concealed weapon. He carried the pistol, he said, because he was afraid Cassini's abductors would "get him."

"is a fellow who votes in my district." Romanoff also is a resident of Shepherdstown.

Representative Randolph, chairman of the House District Committee, explained that Mrs. Treadwell came into possession of the locket and crucifix through inheritance from the estate of the late John Boyd Thacher, twice mayor of Albany, N. Y., and well-known scholar, collector and author of a voluminous work on Columbus.

As Randolph pointed out, Thacher's widow, the late Emma Treadwell Thacher, bequeathed the library the historian's entire collection of fifteenth century incunabula, his books on the French Revolution and his autographs of leading personalities of the revolution.

Only Relics Privately Owned

The library described the collection as "extremely valuable." Randolph said, "We have been told the collection is worth three-quarters of a million dollars."

Randolph described Mrs. Treadwell as being in "strained circumstances" and said it was felt that Congress might be willing to pay for the locket and crucifix inasmuch as the Library received the greater portion of the Thacher collection without cost.

Columbus' remains were interred in Santo Domingo, where the discoverer wished them to be, in 1537. What was believed to have been his casket was removed to Havana when the province passed to France in 1795. But in 1877 workmen repairing the cathedral at Santo Domingo uncovered a casket inscribed as being that of Christopher Columbus and thus launched a controversy that in subsequent years has piled up such a wealth of material that, as one Washington expert said yesterday, "either side could prove its case."

Particles of remnants found at Santo Domingo were appropriated, among others, by Senor Jesus Maria Castillo, director of works at the cathedral. A portion of the dust he had sealed in a crystal locket which he presented to Mrs. Epse Sargent. Another portion he gave to Thacher, whose book upholds the Dominican cause. Thacher subsequently purchased the locket which, with the dust in the crucifix,

are the only relics of their kind in private hands.

The Library of Congress displayed the relics for several years along with the Constitution and Gutenberg Bible. Representative Randolph pointed out, but they subsequently were recovered by Thacher's heirs.

Library officials yesterday were careful to make it clear that they made no investigation of the locket and crucifix and made no claims for them while they were being exhibited. Questions as to their acceptability as a permanent part of the Library's collections were referred to Dr. Herbert Putnam, the librarian, who is vacationing in Maine.

In a formal statement announcing introduction of his bill Randolph declared he "is convinced that it is eminently fitting that the portion of the body of the great discoverer of the Western Hemisphere, now privately owned, be made available to the people of the United States and permanently housed in its beautiful Capitol, a symbol of strength, courage and indomitable will."

Senate Postmaster's Wife Hurt in Crash

Mrs. Josephine Gates, 64, of Memphis, Tenn., wife of Jack W. Gates, postmaster of the United States Senate, was injured seriously yesterday in an automobile accident in Kokomo, Ind., the Associated Press reported.

Two Canadians Killed

Shanghai, June 26 (AP).—The British embassy announced today that the Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Caswell, Canadian missionaries, were killed at Changteh, Hunan Province, last Saturday when Japanese airplanes bombed the Canadian Holiness mission in Changteh, despite British Union Jacks clearly painted on them.

Japan, Russia Claim Victory In Air Battles

Plane Casualties At Variance; Nippon Airdromes Bombed

By the United Press.

Shanghai (Tuesday), June 27.—Japanese and Soviet military dispatches today reported new air battles on the frontier of Manchukuo and Outer Mongolia later yesterday with each side claiming a major victory.

The Japanese asserted three Japanese planes aided by anti-aircraft batteries repulsed 80 Soviet raiding planes, downing six of them, and bringing Soviet losses to 140 planes in the last week.

The official Russian news agency Tass asserted 60 Japanese planes raided Mongolian territory near Mongol Ryba where they were met by a fleet of 50 Soviet-Mongolian planes and fought a two-hour battle "of a stubborn nature."

25 Japanese Planes Down

Tass said 25 Japanese planes were "annihilated" and that a search was continuing for three Soviet planes which failed to return from the encounter.

Japanese dispatches told of a 30-minute dogfight.

The Tass announcement, quoting dispatches from the headquarters of the Soviet-Mongolian forces, brought to 84 the number of Japanese planes the Soviets claim to have shot down since May 11.

Each side has been vague about its own losses, and each has repeatedly accused the other of border violations.

Technically, Russia and Japan are not fighting. They are striking at each other through states they dominate. The conflict, therefore, need not spread unless either Moscow or Tokyo decides to force a real showdown.

The Japanese army headquarters at Hsinking in the north also reported large Soviet bombing planes of modern type were bombing Manchukuo territory in what Japanese said was an apparent prelude to an attempted invasion of Manchukuo from Outer Mongolia.

Neutral diplomatic dispatches reaching Shanghai said heavy aerial fighting had been proceeding for six weeks between the Japanese and Russian air forces.

Japanese Airdromes Bombed

These neutral dispatches—first from an independent source—said Russian planes had bombed new Japanese airdromes and barracks with extensive casualties.

A dispatch from Hsinking said three Soviet SB-type bombers crossed the border east of Lake Baikal along the frontier of Outer Mongolia and Manchukuo late Saturday and bombed from an altitude of between 11,000 and 12,000 feet.

The Domei agency also reported that a Japanese navy radio station had heard reports that Russia was detaining Japanese fishing vessels and said the navy was determined to protect Japanese fishing rights, which long have been a source of friction between Moscow and Tokyo.

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Cleveland	17.60	4.12		Cleveland	22.50	3.60	
Buffalo	17.65	4.11		Buffalo	22.60	3.55	
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Madox Ford, Noted Author, Dies in France

Brief Illness Fatal To Conrad's Friend; Writers' Discoverer

By the Associated Press.
Deauville, France, June 26.—Ford Madox Ford, the British novelist, essayist and editor, died today in a Deauville clinic at the age of 66.

FORD

Ford had been an outstanding figure in the literary life of Britain, the United States and France since he began collaborating with Joseph Conrad shortly after 1900.

He was born Ford Madox Heutter, but later changed his name.

Ford returned to France three weeks ago from a trip to the United States and took up his residence at his villa on the northern coast near Deauville. He had been ill only a few days.

Ford's lengthy list of novels and critical studies included "The Cinque Ports" and "The Inheritors," which he wrote with Joseph Conrad. Fifteen years ago he published a biography of Conrad.

Ford wrote extensively of the three countries in which he lived, the literature of those nations and was active in discovering new writers.

At the end of the nineteenth century Ford came under the influence of the Henley group, which believed one should undergo a real struggle for existence, so Ford spent 13 years on a farm. In the neighborhood were Conrad and Henry James, both of whom were to have a part in moulding his development.

Ford served in France as an officer in the British army during the World War and was gassed, suffering a temporary loss of memory.

Ford was one of those rare, indefatigable writers who was never happy unless he was working.

When he wasn't working or discussing with one of his fellow craftsmen the precise word or phrase to be used in a piece of prose—he and Conrad once discussed for 12 hours the proper rendering of a French word into English—he was looking about for new writers.

Discovered Hemingway
For a year—1924—he edited the Transatlantic Review, one of those small, but in this case, important, magazines which sprang up with astonishing regularity after the World War. In this magazine first appeared the work of Ernest Hemingway, discovered by Ford and Ezra Pound.

In his autobiography, "It Was the Nightingale," Ford wrote that he read 15 words of Hemingway's prose and promised to print anything he gave him.

In this book, too, he stressed his interest in the literature emerging from the Midwest, and saw in that section of the United States a greater freedom and vast literary possibilities.

In his early years and for a long time thereafter, he once wrote, he used to awaken in the morning and wrestle with his own ideas, trying to decide whether he would write that day in French or in English. He wrote with facility and charm in both languages.

At Hauptmann Trial
In January, 1935, looking very much like the self-portrait he had sketched as he recalled autobiographically his pig-raising venture in England after the World War, he turned up at Flemington, N. J., to attend the trial of Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the Lindbergh baby kidnapping.

He wrote his impressions of the trial for the Associated Press, consuming huge quantities of paper as he set down his thoughts and reactions in bold scrawls.

Albert Ferguson Dies; Former Post Reporter

Albert Ford Ferguson, 61, a Washington Post reporter 40 years ago, died in a Chicago hospital Saturday after a month's illness.

A member of The Post staff for seven years, Mr. Ferguson worked also on the old Washington Times, where he edited a dramatic column under the name of "Gardner Mack," and later on the Evening Star.

A native of Washington, Mr. Ferguson was the son of Robert B. Ferguson, one of the first druggists on Capitol Hill.

Surviving are a son, David Ferguson, of Chicago; a brother, Warren Ferguson, of Silver Spring, Md., and two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Saunders, and Mrs. Alfred Terry, both of this city.

10-Year Jinx Beaten at Last, D. C. Man Is in the Army Now



WELLS WOOD, Jr. MARSHALL
Among Seven in This Region to Get Officers' Commissions; Finds Hard Way—Medical Corps—Easiest to Cherished Goal

The determination of a soldier's son to follow in his father's footsteps proved too much yesterday for a 10-year jinx that has twice denied Francis Patterson Wells a career in the Army.

Born on an Army post and growing up to the blast of bugles and the tall tales of old sergeants, young Wells went to West Point at the age of 21. Failing in French after a year, he tried again, this time as a flying cadet at Brooks Field, Tex. But the fates were still against him.

Takes Hard Way
There was one other way into the Army—a long hard way—but Wells took it. He went to Maryland University, won an honor degree in bacteriology, and then to Georgetown Medical School. At the conclusion of his internship at Georgetown Hospital yesterday, he was appointed a first lieutenant in the Regular Army Medical Corps.

The son of Col. and Mrs. Frank L. Wells, 2220 Twentieth street northwest, and a former Friends School and Eastern High student, Dr. Wells has a "kid brother" already in the Army—Lieut. James B. Wells.

Seven others from the District, Maryland and Virginia were on a list of 100 new Army officers announced yesterday by the War Department.

Lieut. John E. Wood, Jr., 24, son of Lieut. Comdr. John E. Wood, 2900 Connecticut avenue, is one. Now on active duty at Fort Monroe, Va., he was graduated from Georgia Tech in 1938, with a mechanical engineering degree.

Serving with Wood at Fort Monroe the last year was Lieut. Oliver K. Marshall, Jr., 22, of East Falls Church, Va. A native of Ohio, Marshall attended The Citadel, in South Carolina. Another successful candidate from Fort Monroe is Lieut. Charles W. Reeves, 22, of Front Royal, Va. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Reeves, of that town, and a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute. All three were appointed in the Coast Artillery.

Commission in Infantry
A commission in the Infantry went to Lieut. Robert A. Sharrer, 22, on duty for the last year at Fort George G. Meade, Md. Sharrer lives at Westminster, Md.

Two of the new Army doctors are graduates of George Washington Medical School. They are Lieut. Wolcott L. Etienne, 27, of Berwyn, Md., and Lieut. Wilbur W. Hiehle, 28, of 1731 N street northwest. Etienne, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Etienne, of Berwyn, is finishing his internship at George Washington University Hospital. He attended Hyattsville High School and the University of Maryland. Hiehle, son of an Army warrant officer, is serving at the Gorgas Hospital in Panama.

Another new medical officer is Lieut. Norman E. King, 29, of Haynesville, Va. Born in Washington, he attended William and Mary College and the Medical College of Virginia.

41st Car Victim.
Hit April 17, Dies; Inquest Ordered

Alfred H. Williams, 75, of 1725 Seventeenth street northwest, was called the District's forty-first traffic victim yesterday following an autopsy at the District Morgue.

Williams was injured April 17 when knocked down by an automobile at Fourth and Franklin streets northeast. He was treated at Casualty Hospital. Later he went to Gallinger Hospital, where he died Saturday of pneumonia and complications.

Detective Lieut. George Darnall, homicide squad, said the police were not notified of the traffic accident until yesterday, which caused the post-mortem examination.

An inquest will be held at the morgue this morning. William A. Rodgers, 25, of 729 Fifth street northeast, driver of the car that struck the man, has been summoned to appear.

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Fog That Delays Yankee Clipper Imperils Farm Supply Bill; Rep. Cannon, Vital to House-Senate Conference, Is on Board

By the United Press.
A \$1,200,000,000 appropriation for the Agriculture Department was unexpectedly fog-bound last night because of a Representative who went on a flying trip.

When conferees on the 1940 farm supply bill sought a meeting yesterday to iron out minor remaining differences between Senate and House so that the measure could be sent to President Roosevelt before midnight Friday—when the Agriculture Department theoretically would be completely out of funds—

the House members found their leader was gone.

Fog-Bound in Canada
Representative Cannon (Democrat), of Missouri, chairman of the sub-committee handling the bill and champion of the extra \$338,000,000 added to farm bounties over Mr. Roosevelt's budget, was fog-bound at Shediac, New Brunswick, with other passengers of a Europe-bound Clipper plane.

To make the situation more embarrassing, when Chairman Edward

T. Taylor (Democrat), of Colorado, of the House Appropriations Committee, sought to make new arrangements yesterday he discovered that the second ranking House conferee, Representative Tarver (Democrat), of Georgia, had packed his grip and gone home, leaving only a lone Republican, Representative Lamberson, of Kansas, on duty.

Under the rules governing conferences between Senate and House, this stopped proceedings completely. Taylor telegraphed Tarver and got

his promise to return at 11 a. m. today.

The chairman said he would confer with Speaker Bankhead and Majority Leader Rayburn to arrange the appointment of new conferees, adding Representatives Leavy (Democrat), of Washington; Terry (Democrat), of Arkansas, and Dirk-

sen (Republican), of Illinois.

"I'll replace Cannon myself," said Taylor, "Why, this will create harkari with the Agriculture Department if they don't get their money by Friday night."

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Striking Contrast

Legislators who must decide whether any fund should be appropriated to aid unemployed District residents who are able to work may find a good deal of interest in a current report on unemployment aid in New York. The welfare department of that city has found that one-third of the families on home relief have no member able to take a job. Another 18 per cent of the families included housewives or students who are theoretically employable but not immediately in a position to take jobs if they were available.

These findings led New York's Welfare Commissioner William Hodson to conclude that not more than one-half of the families on relief in that city could resume immediately self-supporting status under the most favorable employment conditions. It seems to follow that about half of the families obtaining relief in New York are in the employable class. In Washington home relief is denied families in this category, except in rare emergency cases.

Funds appropriated for relief here in recent years have been so meager that the Public Assistance Division has been forced to turn away men who are able to work, even though their families may be without food. In a few cases employable men whose families have been faced with eviction from their lodgings have been given help, but for the most part the limited funds available are reserved for families without a breadwinner.

Some of the aged who receive benefits may not be entirely incapacitated for work. Frequently, too, the blind and mothers of dependent children obtaining benefits from the PAD find it possible to work part time. But when misfortune comes to a person simply in the form of unemployment he can expect nothing from the PAD.

Is there any reason why the relief system of New York should be so much more generous in this respect than is that of Washington? In that metropolis, which incidentally has a government of its own, relief appears to be granted on the basis of need, regardless of what type of misfortune may have reduced a family to destitution. In Washington virtually no public aid can be obtained by the indigent who have "merely" lost their jobs.

If any further argument is needed, the poor showing which Washington's relief system makes in comparison with that of New York should certainly induce the House conferees to accept the \$300,000 item which the Senate wrote into the District supply bill for the assistance of employable but jobless men.

A Frontier War

It is difficult to penetrate the thick veil of censorship which hides what is taking place along the uncertain border dividing Japanese-dominated Manchukuo from Soviet-dominated Outer Mongolia.

Both the Tokyo and Moscow governments appear anxious to suppress news from that trouble zone which might make unpalatable reading for their people. The vacuum is being assiduously filled by claims and counter-claims that are subject to very drastic discount. Thus one Japanese claim is that in the course of five days 154 Soviet planes were brought down, with only negligible Japanese-Manchukuoan casualties. This is matched by a Russian claim that, on Saturday alone, 25 Japanese planes were destroyed with only two Russian planes shot down. Obviously these and similar statements cannot all be accurate.

What appears to be incontestable, however, is that a struggle is raging in that corner of Asia where Japanese and Russian buffer areas adjoin. And the outcome of that struggle may have a bearing on the larger issue which is being fought out, namely, whether Japan's claim to hegemony can be established. In this respect the skirmishes along the Manchukuo-Outer Mongolian border have a direct relationship to the more extended fighting in China proper and the efforts being made by Japan to dislodge the Western powers from Chinese treaty ports.

More specifically, Japan's efforts to penetrate Outer Mongolia arise out of her persistent desire to drive a wedge between China and Russia and thus make impossible any further extension of Russian aid to the armies of Chiang Kai-

shek. This effort the Moscow regime is combating.

It is significant, too, that at the very moment when large-scale engagements are taking place between what are, at bottom, Japanese and Soviet forces, Moscow has seen fit to conclude a trade agreement with China.

Belated Economy Move

Minority Leader Martin's proposal to apply a 10 per cent cut to such appropriation bills as are "properly susceptible to such a reduction" is doubtless intended to counteract the Administration's latest pump-priming venture. Viewed in that light, it may prove to be good strategy. To counter-attack is frequently the most effective defense.

As a means of achieving economy in the ordinary expenses of government, however, Mr. Martin's move has very little punch behind it. Republican members of the House under his leadership have lost their best opportunities to curb the extravagant spending of the Roosevelt Administration. The minority leader's proposal to cut appropriations comes at a time when most of the supply bills have been enacted—frequently with the generous aid of Republican votes.

"The country is shocked," as Mr. Martin says, "by the record of appropriations of this session of Congress." Perhaps the most discouraging thing about that record, however, is the fact that both major parties have contributed to it. Many G. O. P. orators have made eloquent appeals for economy. But when votes have been counted the Republican plea has proved to be far from unanimous.

Failure of Mr. Martin and his colleagues to prevent the inclusion of unbudgeted funds in the agricultural appropriation bill last week seriously weakens the minority in its present stand. The \$225,000,000 item for parity payments to farmers won by only a 5-vote margin in the House. Concerted action on the part of Republican Congressmen could easily have defeated this unwarranted subsidy. But instead of making a determined stand for a principle to which their party is committed, a large number of Republicans helped to put through this extravagant and unnecessary boost in farm benefits.

Some Republicans in the House have consistently attempted to trim mounting governmental outlays. There was a determined effort to hold a check upon funds for the WPA. And at the other end of the Capitol, Senator Vandenberg took the lead in the successful fight against the Florida ship canal. There has been a good deal of support from G. O. P. legislators for the efforts of Representative Woodrum to trim appropriations. But it can scarcely be said that Mr. Martin and his colleagues have consistently fought for a balanced Federal budget as a major issue.

Of course, it is not too late, even now, to pass an economy resolution carrying an arbitrary cut in all designated appropriations bills. But at best that is a crude method of trimming Federal expenditures. Mr. Martin's belated bill does not obscure the fact that the G. O. P. has already passed by its best opportunities to curtail the Administration's continued spending splurge.

Townsend The Second

It is not easy to analyze the significance of the recent Townsendite convention at Indianapolis. Especially baffling is the decision of the delegates that when the good Dr. Townsend is no longer able to lead the movement the mantle of authority shall fall to young Robert C. Townsend, his son.

Now Townsend pere is not, of course, any spring chicken. Still he appears in the soundest of health and certainly good for several more years of service. If, as was so confidently predicted at Indianapolis, we are to have a Townsendite Congress in 1940 it would seem to follow that we shall have a Townsend old-age pension law in 1941. Consequently, beyond 1941, there would seem no further need of a Townsend organization.

But by the same reasoning it is equally difficult to understand the indignation of the schismatic group of Townsendites. Shocked beyond measure by what they deem arrant nepotism, the anti-Townsend Townsendites are preparing to form an organization to campaign independently for \$200-per-month pensions. The designation of Townsend fils, as their apparatus makes certain, they say, "the positive defeat of the program" in the next Congress. This apparently small majority seems to be even more interested in obtaining fabulous pensions than in the lore of Townsendism.

The idea has occurred to many people that Townsendism may not be so much an economic movement as a sociable one. Anyhow, there is some indication that many of the old folks who attended the Indianapolis convention at their own expense got more fun out of it in one week than they could possibly get out of spending \$200 a month at the "payers' expense. Perhaps then, all this incantation about Congress is merely a ritual. Perhaps the very pension; themselves are merely symbolic, like the fezes of the Mystic Shriners.

This hypothesis of a perennial Townsendism would reduce the question of leadership to one of the dynastic principle of succession versus the democratic

principle of turn and turn about. There is much to be said for democracy, of course; but there is always this to be said for hereditary monarchy: it generally manages to put on the better show.

Army Without Country

Partisans of the Irish Republican Army, which obviously considers itself at war with the British Empire, were permitted to parade last Sunday through the very streets of London, that on the previous evening had been shaken by a fresh series of bomb explosions. They were permitted to assemble at Trafalgar Square where an orator threatened that the bombings, which have been occurring throughout England since the first of the year, would continue until all British garrisons are withdrawn from Northern Ireland.

But attempts to hold similar parades in various parts of Ireland were rudely broken up by Irish police and the Irish army. This queer paradox must have added to the confusion, already existing in many American minds, as to just whom and what this Irish Republican Army represents.

The name goes back to the 1860's. It was an "Irish Republican Army" that attempted the tragic Fenian invasion of Canada. But although the Fenians exercised a considerable influence in Irish politics, and even more on Irish imaginations, their army, outside a few sporadic acts of violence, gave the British no great trouble. One reason was the absence of a rank-and-file, another was that the high command included for a time an agent of the British Secret Service.

The history of the present I. R. A., however, begins with the organization of the Irish Volunteers in 1913. These were Nationalist Ireland's answer to Sir Edward Carson's threat of armed resistance to application of the Home Rule bill. With the World War, however, home rule was shelved; Redmond and Carson alike sought enlistments for the British army. But the revolutionary separatists, the "physical force men," as they were called, became convinced that England's danger had at last created Ireland's opportunity. They commanded but a partial following among the Volunteers. It was these extremists of the Volunteers, among them Commandant Eamon De Valera, who combined with James Connolly's Citizen Army to stage the memorable Easter Insurrection of 1916.

The wholesale executions and arrests that followed the insurrection and the threat of conscription, served, however, to unite almost all separatist factions in resistance. In the long Anglo-Irish "trouble" that followed the Volunteers became the Irish Republican Army. After the treaty of 1921, the title was preempted by the insurgent minority who fought their former comrades and ambushed and slew their former chief, Collins, in the long civil war against the Free State. But, one by one, the better known leaders of the I. R. A., Rory O'Moore, Liam Mellows, Erskine Childers, were slain in battle or captured and executed, the remnant driven into hiding.

Their cause against the treaty, however, was taken up by Mr. De Valera's party of Fianna Fail. As economic discontent in Ireland increased, anti-British sentiment was revived and the Ulster problem grew more acute. The Cosgrave government was overthrown, and De Valera, supported by the I. R. A., came into power. But when, following a series of political murders, he arrested its chief of staff, and outlawed the organization itself, he became, like Collins before him, the "Traitor."

Lately the I. R. A., evidently strengthened by an influx of younger men, has come very much to life, not so much in Eire, as in Ulster and in the Irish settlements in Great Britain. Evidently it believes that England's international difficulties have again struck the hour of Irish opportunity. In January an ultimatum in the name of the I. R. A. was delivered to the British government. A few days later the bombings began.

The history of the I. R. A. pointedly illustrates the fissiparous nature of revolutionary parties. It also suggests that there is a temperament for which revolutionary conspiracy is not a means to a political end but an end in itself.

Hitler doesn't smoke or swear and the strongest drink he takes is 1 per cent beer. He's the most temperate intemperate person we ever heard of.

Gender And Number

From the Commonwealth.

An item of research from the University of Cincinnati reverses a belief so widespread and venerable that it may be called a tradition: the belief that masculine brains are better mathematically than feminine. A graduate study of a thousand students, admitted in recent years from 23 States and Canada, shows "a slight but very consistent superiority" on the part of the female half of the group throughout high school mathematical courses. Further, this superiority increases in the more advanced work.

We are not prepared with any counter-conclusion to these figures, which seem broadly enough based to merit at least respectful attention, although they do surprise us a little. Not that we have shared the prepossession against women's capacity for abstruse calculations, but precisely because we have no such prepossessions against any group. Nothing in the world is harder to prove than such a concentration of aptitudes, whether by sex, class or race.

In regard to the Cincinnati study, we would make the qualifying suggestion that as girls are known to be on the average more conscientious students than boys, some of the indicated lead might be accounted for on the basis of sheer application. But it is a suggestion only; and we do not deny that feminists who have smarted under the charge that the mathematical professions, like accountancy, engineering and statistics, are "For Men Only" are entitled to do a little crowing.

Trying To Whitewash It



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Letters To The Editor

Dr. Putnam's Successor

To the Editor of the Post—Sir: Since the issue of a successor to Dr. Putnam in the Library of Congress is still open, I should like to say that I thoroughly agree with all the statements made by Mr. Myron W. Getchell in his letter printed in The Post of June 19, as well as with every argument expressed by Mr. Milton J. Ferguson, as president of the American Library Association to the President, the Vice President and the Senators. I fully believe that at least 99 per cent, if not all, of the librarians in the country, whether members of the association or not, will stand back of him.

Mr. David R. Wahl, whom the records show to be a young librarian of only a very few years of experience and who seems to intimate lack of progressiveness among librarians, has himself only recently joined the comparatively new section of work in the Library of Congress which is the direct outgrowth of the ideas of progressive librarians throughout the country, including Dr. Putnam, who recognized the value of it in saving libraries money and, consequently, the taxpayers.

In formulating policies in regard to projects like that or similar ones, which are partly technical and partly professional, only the person who has had some experience with the work and the actual work having to do with the administration of it and knows something of the steps involved, can have a full understanding of the questions connected with them and properly weigh the importance or non-importance of them. If Mr. Wahl would study the library history he would know that great advances have been made in library service in general and by the American Library Association in the last 15 or 20 years.

In order to be truly progressive, or

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at least recognize progress along any line, one must also know something of the past. It is too expensive to learn through the trial and error method, especially when it is no longer necessary. Knowledge and judgment should go hand in hand. We have men in the library field who are well equipped for the important work.

ANOTHER LIBRARIAN.

Washington, June 23, 1939.

Filipino Loyalty

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In 1894 I was at dinner in the ward room of U. S. S. Concord, anchored in San Diego Bay, the guest of Lieut. B. O. Scott. "Take a good look at that Japanese mess boy," whispered Scott. Later, in his cabin, he told me why. That afternoon a search of the mess boy's kit brought to light detailed plans of the Concord's construction; also papers showing that the steward had been graduated from a Japanese university.

Other discoveries of like nature must have been made on other ships because within three months all Japanese mess boys were discharged and Filipino boys took their places.

I have talked with many naval officers since that time and never, not even when our forces were fighting insurgents led by Aguinaldo, has the loyalty of a Filipino mess boy been questioned.

C. H. WETMORE.

Washington, June 24.

The Lee Mansion

When patriotic citizens visit the national shrine, now called the Lee Mansion, at Arlington Cemetery, they may not know that its enduring splendor was provided for them by the War Department's actual work having been done by the Quartermasters Corps.

An act of Congress, approved March 4, 1925, directed the Secretary of War to restore Arlington House to the condition in which it existed prior to the Civil War. The War Department was instructed to procure furniture known to have been in the mansion, or replicas, or furniture of the first half of the century.

When the Quartermasters' Corps began this work of rehabilitation, it found the building in an alarming condition of decay. The foundations had settled, beams, joists, floors, ceilings and brickwork were giving way. With consecrated, historic sentiment, and obedience to the act of Congress, the Quartermasters' Corps restored all to its present strength and beauty. This division of the War Department provided heat from outside buildings. They installed an automatic fire alarm. The adjoining servants' houses were reclaimed and furnished in period or originals, for posterity, as were the cabins near the river.

Historic walks and places were restored. Not far away lie the remains of the builder of the mansion, the adopted son of George Washington; George Washington Parke Custis. It is closely associated with the early history of our country, and could never be considered as a separate entity. Grounds and house are an integral unit.

With infinite pains the Quartermasters' Corps of the War Department sought out the designated furniture, making the mansion the shrine that it is today. Then, by Executive order, June 10 and July 23, 1934, the

mansion was separated from its historic unity, administration by the War Department, and placed under the administration of the parks service of the Department of the Interior. This was no doubt considered practical, but the tradition of Arlington has been cut in two. The Department of the Interior is charging admission to patriotic houses. True, the price is small, but the principle of charging citizens, to imbibe the spirit of patriotic appreciation, is questionable.

Many persons are asking that Arlington-Custis-Lee mansion be restored to its historic unity with its Arlington grounds, under the War Department. It is thought that this can be done by Executive order under the reorganization act.

Arlington mansion and grounds were an integral unit from 1802 until 1934. It was, by Executive order, January 6, 1864, placed under the War Department, so there is fine precedent for this precious act by President Roosevelt to unite this estate as it has been in all historic times. This, too, would be recognition of the untiring achievement of the War Department.

This, also, might diminish expenses to some extent; and the administration was certainly efficient before. So a transfer back to its original setting seems patriotic and just, and would probably be acclaimed by many citizens.

As an Executive order first placed Arlington under the War Department, 1864; and an Executive order took the mansion from the War Department, 1934, would it not be appropriate at this time of restoration of good will, for an Executive order to restore the mansion to the War Department that made it what it is? Surely, the man for whom it was named, Gen. Lee, was closely associated with the War Department.

J. R. PRICE,
Commander-in-Chief, S. C. V.

The Relief Bill

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Several members of the Women's Trade Union League of the District of Columbia read the editorial on the "Relief Bill" in the Washington Post of June 19, and were so deeply shocked by it that they called it to the attention of our executive committee, who voted to write you in protest.

We were shocked that this editorial, which purported to deal with the Woodrum relief bill, did not even mention, let alone condemn, the absolute failure of the bill to fulfill its supposed purpose. The bill is called a relief bill; its provisions and appropriations must give to our millions of unemployed whatever work for subsistence most of them will find during the coming year.

Yet, although the \$300,000 now on WPA rolls are but a minority of the men and women in need; and although private industry shows no signs of accelerating its recovery to such an extent that it can absorb this vast surplus of labor, nevertheless this bill provides that the rolls shall be cut still more. Only 2,000,000 out of the 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 without work will be favored by receiving Government wages, which will in no case be the prevailing wages, but substandard pittance.

Furthermore, even these 2,000,000 will not enjoy all their meager earnings, for many of the other unemployed, and their friends and relatives, and the funds of the 2,000,000 will be stretched over more millions, hardly keeping any of them from starvation, and surely not providing them with a standard of living anyone would want to call American.

This glaring failure of the bill, however, The Post editorial does not even mention. Instead, the effort of Congress to "improve" the WPA is commended, and the editorial is that all the "boondoggling projects," such as the Federal Theater, are not eliminated, and that the provisions for local financing and sponsoring of WPA projects are not sufficiently strong.

The Women's Trade Union League of the District of Columbia would like to state that it agrees thoroughly with the editorial thesis of The Washington Post, that "boondoggling" should be abolished from WPA, and that the local governments should finance WPA projects to a certain extent, if they can. We do not believe, however, that the Federal Theater is a boondoggling project.

The men and women employed in these fields were skilled professional people and artists. Their work cannot be measured as easily as can the number of ditches dug in other forms of enterprise. Even granting this difficulty of measurement, however, the accomplishments of these people are patently great in number and in quality. Through their work, painting, music, literature and drama have been spread to the reach of American citizens who never before could afford to experience them.

As for the blessings of local financing and sponsorship, the fact that local governments will not appropriate as much money as will the Federal Government is well known; indeed, it is probably one of the reasons why the enemies of WPA consented to let some projects live on this basis, rather than seeking their outright destruction. It was obvious that on this basis the projects would not live. For in localities, no matter how much people may want to help their fellow citizens who are unemployed, no matter how much they may want new schools and streets, the question of their own daily bread comes first, and they are not going to appropriate money they will have to pay right away, even though they would be willing to have the Federal Government appropriate the same money.

ELIZABETH LYLE,
Corresponding Secretary, Washington Committee, National Women's Trade Union League.
Washington, June 22.

To Pastures New

ACCORDING to the pulpit and the press, the sickness of our day is insecurity. Fear of open places forces people to crowd into cities where walls protect them from perspectives. Men seek boundaries for their minds in the exact sciences or by the easier methods of the movies. The village and its philosopher are becoming as extinct as the pioneer.

Since there may be many reasons for one event, I offer an informal observation of my own to the schooled and more extensive reasons already offered by the psychiatrists and economists. To my mind, one small but important root of this modern evil is the kiddie coop.

The rise of the kiddie coop in popular favor coincides with the end of the war and the subsequent psychoses successively forced upon us by easy money and no money. Now that we are in a permanent doldrums, the coop has been elaborated as never before. It started as a small portable arrangement of low-wooden bars that a child of 4 could climb over. It is now made of heavy wire, staked to the ground, often roofed with wire and closed with a door. It would keep prisoner a child of 14. When I first noticed these tremendous coops in shady spots of lawn, I thought them excellent. "The child is perfectly safe," I thought, as the child's parents must also have thought.

Then I realized that the desire for safety is the prime passion of the emotionally insecure. And it seemed a terrible thing that the youth of the land should be taught security during its most formative years. If a man has a hard time renouncing the security of the womb, hardly remembered and of a time before consciousness, how will he renounce the safety of a place where he has spent the liveliest and growing hours of his first six years of life?

The child is not only given absolute security in these coops, he is presented every day with an insoluble problem. No strength or ingenuity will avail to free him. And at last he will sit down with his toys, undesirable of solving this or any other problem, taking bars as the natural accompaniments of living. This is realism in child training with a vengeance. And though it may make for a docile citizenry, it will make for few of those re-moulders of life, who have worked miracles because they believed in man's illusions.

"Except for purposes of metaphor, the phrase, 'tied to his mother's apron strings' is as obsolete as these quiet mill ponds and rows of pines that we have retained from the scenes of an earlier generation. A child is never tied to anything now—parent, chair leg or tree.

But the old system had its advantages. Within a circle of action, the child had adventures. A dog could lick him or a cat nuzzle to him by chance, and not because it was placed beside him by some external agent. With the rope stretched taut, he found not the boundaries of his freedom, but the limit of his powers. As he grew stronger, he might pull the chair over, or drag it to another corner. And as he grew older, he would see that one day he might break the cord, or untie the knot, according to his temperament.

So, mothers, tie your children to your apron strings. They will be walked on, tripped over, scalded maybe; but they will grow up in the real world with the illusions of freedom and trust in their own powers intact. And make it a loose knot while you're about it, an old-fashioned granny, so that before too long he will pull away and scamper to the hills. And, spronless you, too, may go a-roving into fresh phases of existence.

KATHERINE LACKY.

Japanese Boycott

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Every indication goes to show that public opinion is hardening against Japan and becoming favorable toward China. The boycott of Japanese goods is growing in favor but at present it is only very partially successful.

If silk stockings and neckties were replaced by goods of all-American make, the effect on employment and profits would be beneficial. It is true that there would be some disturbance while the silk manufacturers were changing to rayon, lisle, etc., but the stoppage would be temporary and would affect comparatively few.

But suppose that by means of silk sales Japan should win the war in China. She then would be able to enslave Chinese labor, seize the resources of China and in time take possession of the remainder of the Orient.

M. F. HYDE.
Washington, June 23.

Drama Now WPA Issue

By Mark Sullivan

Pressure On Senate

THE BILL reorganizing WPA, having passed the House, is now before the Senate. Strong pressure is being put upon the Senate to pass the bill. The bill is being pushed by the House cut out. Strongest pressure of all comes from advocates of preserving the Federal Theater Project. Persons of high standing in the drama and literature strongly urge that the work of the Theater Project be continued.

Their sympathy is persuasive. Examination of their pleas, however, reveals that they are confused between two objectives: the objective of nurturing the theater, and the objective of providing work for unemployed persons. The latter is the objective by which WPA must primarily be judged. Yet much of the advocacy of preserving the Theater Project is put upon the basis of fostering the drama. One of the ablest young men in the dramatic profession, Orson Welles, speaking on the radio the other night, said, with appealing eloquence: "I quote him from memory—that the spoken drama as an art-form is in peril of death, due to the motion picture and other causes. He pleaded for the Federal Theater Project, as a means of keeping drama alive and making it grow."

If the object is to foster the spoken drama, the appropriate way would be to have the Federal Government endow the drama. The true answer to Mr. Welles' plea would be for the Federal Government to set up a subsidized theater or theaters, to endow the putting on of federally subsidized plays, and to create a Federal agency which would employ and train actors. This would be a reasonable suggestion. It could stand on its own merit. There is precedent for it in Europe, where many governments, for generations, have had national opera houses, national theaters, national schools of drama.

Hiring Of Actors Would Be Aim

IF THIS WERE done in America, it would be as if it were abroad. The aim would be to employ the most competent actors; to select the most promising young material for the stage and give it thorough training; to set up an institution which would be supreme. The persons selected to act, and to be trained for acting, would be chosen on the most exacting, competitive basis of search for the best.

But a federally endowed school of the drama and chain of theaters would be one thing. WPA is a different thing.

The object of WPA is to give work to needy unemployed persons. That is its only object. When to that object there is added another, fostering of the drama, a confusing principle is introduced.

WPA is based on the principle that as Henry Hopkins once put it, every person is entitled to a job, as a right. The important words are, "as a right." Whether the principle thus expressed is sound, need not be debated here. For the sake of argument, admit it. But to this, the Federal Theater Project, and some other WPA projects having to do with writing and the arts, add in effect, a second principle. As expressed in the Federal Theater Project, the principle would read: "Every person is entitled to a job as a right—and a job of the sort he likes, or thinks he is fitted for."

Expressed in that way, the principle is hardly defensible. Certainly it is not practicable. A society organized on the idea that no person need work except at the thing he likes to work at, is hardly attainable. It is doubtful if the most extreme New Deal dreamer has gone that far. Certainly no such society has ever existed.

WPA Is For Persons In Need Of Money

IF WE ADMIT that a person whose experience has been acting, is by the fact entitled to a job at acting, we should promptly have demands for a similar treatment from persons whose experience has been blacksmithing, or mauling, or deep-sea fishing. Such demands would be difficult to deny, logically. WPA is for persons in need—that is, in need of money to pay for food, clothing and shelter. Persons really in need will not insist that the job provided for them must be of a particular kind.

Some of the objection in Congress to the Federal Theater Project is based on alleged associations with communism. This charge is less correct with respect to the Theater Project than to some other features of WPA. The judgment of competent persons is that recently the Theater Project plays have not been radical; but that in the beginning some plays were put on which clearly had the intent and effect of stirring up hostile animosity against the American system of society.

If the House, in dropping the Theater Project, was moved by excess suspicion of communism, their suspicion with respect to other aspects of WPA was justified by abundant proof. The Congress should be vigilant is understandable. A Government so weak, so lacking in pride in itself as to be willing to contribute money to agencies that work for its own destruction, is not a spectacle America would like to see.

Cosgrove Asks Rail Pension Expansion

James I. Cosgrove, of Chicago, president of the Railroad Employees National Pension Association, told a Senate Interstate Commerce subcommittee yesterday some workers were left without income when retired because of disability before they were eligible for pensions.

He urged expansion of the railroad retirement act to provide compensation immediately upon retirement for men in service 25 years.

Senate Kills Power to Cut Dollar Fair

MONEY, from Page 1.

minutes away, that definite commitments were made.

Plans for uniting the anti-devaluation and prosilver votes very nearly went awry at the last minute. When a Pittman proposal for raising the price of silver \$1.16 was defeated, 52 to 36, as had been expected, Senator Adams (Democrat), of Colorado, jumped to his feet to offer an amendment combining the anti-devaluation plan with a 77.37 price for silver.

This proposal, it was thought, was the trump card, for it would snare on one ballot both the silver bloc which, incidentally, was allied with currency expansionists led by Senator Thomas (Democrat), of Oklahoma, and the anti-devaluation group. Even Senator Glass, crusty Virginia hard-money Democrat, who left a sickbed to take part in the vote, announced he would support the amendment.

Expansionists "held the bag" after a vigorous protest by Senator Barkley that the two parts of the Adams amendment should be considered separately. Senator Bankhead (Democrat), of Alabama, who was in the chair, ruled in favor of the majority leader. Adams took an appeal from the chair, but Bankhead was sustained by the bare majority of 52 to 35.

But, to the surprise of many observers, the hard-money soft-money-silver combination prevailed on both ballots.

Finally, as he had gloomily predicted, Senator Thomas and his currency expansion group was left "holding the bag" for, on an amendment proposing to increase the currency by \$1,500,000,000, many of the silverites deserted their erstwhile ally to defeat him, 46 to 19.

Visibly angered, tall white-haired Senator Thomas told his colleagues that their action had condemned the country to 50-cent wheat and 6-cent cotton, except for the loans floating the price to the farmer but saddling the Nation with an ever-increasing debt.

Thomas also was defeated, 50-28, on a proposal to stabilize the dollar at a level that would buy commodities at the rate prevailing in 1928.

Some leaders of both the anti-devaluation and prosilver blocs vigorously denied any "deal" had been made.

On the other hand, Senator Schwelb, asked why he voted to deprive the President of his devaluation powers, countered with the question, "Ever hear of the Cœur d'Alene mint district?" (The area he referred to is in Idaho, but Spokane, Wash., is the nearest commercial center.)

The bill must be passed by both Houses and signed by the President by Friday night if a hiatus is to be avoided in operation of the stabilization fund.

Trade Crippling Feared

The Townsend amendment, putting an immediate stop to purchase of foreign silver, was attacked by Barkley on the grounds that it would cripple American trade with Mexico and other foreign nations from which silver is bought.

"A very decided effect is being made by some foreign countries to get possession of the trade with Mexico," asserted Barkley. "If you don't want to sell anything to Mexico and China, all right—then take away their power to purchase our goods."

Barkley indicated he thought the Townsend amendment sprang from a desire to retaliate against Mexico for the seizure of American oil properties. Senator Ashurst (Democrat), of Arizona, termed the silver purchase policy a "failure," and in mellifluous phrase, need not be debated here. For the sake of argument, admit it. But to this, the Federal Theater Project, and some other WPA projects having to do with writing and the arts, add in effect, a second principle. As expressed in the Federal Theater Project, the principle would read: "Every person is entitled to a job as a right—and a job of the sort he likes, or thinks he is fitted for."

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Abolition of the President's power to devalue the dollar is a much more serious blow to the Administration. The Treasury has looked upon this power as a weapon with which to threaten other nations contemplating devaluation of their own currencies. Even opponents of devaluation frequently admitted they did not think the President intended to use the power, but they maintained that restoration of complete control of the dollar to Congress would increase business confidence.

The new law would give the President the right to reduce the gold value of the dollar from its current level of 90 cents to a minimum of 50 cents.

Under the law, the Secretary of the Treasury has been authorized to fix a price for six-month periods. The new price, said Senator Adams, will cost the Government "not over \$7,000,000 a year," for the purchase of 50,000,000 ounces. The Colorado banker added that the proposal will enable the mining industry to survive.

George W. Snyder, executive of a Salt Lake City mining company, said last night the new price would put a "lot of men to work."

Silver Vote Hits Mexico

Mexico City, June 26 (AP)—The vote of the United States Senate to stop foreign silver purchases, fell like a bombshell in Mexican business circles and reaction on the world silver market and the value of the peso was anxiously awaited.

Sale of silver to the United States is one of Mexico's economic "life lines." Mexico sells 7,000,000 ounces of silver monthly to the United States for \$2,000,000, and the Mexican government realizes from taxes on the sales \$200,000.

How Senators Voted on Devaluation Power

The Senate vote to end President Roosevelt's authority to devalue the dollar further follows:

FOR THE AMENDMENT, 47 Democrats for, 29

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Life's Darkest Moment



Unified Borrowing Fight in House Stalls Milk Bill

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thority) to handle a new lending program as an adjunct of the Federal loan agency has been discussed for some time, it was learned.

The reason the \$3,000,000,000 lending program (including \$600,000,000 for housing) would not show up in the budget or public debt is that money with which to make the loans would be borrowed by sale of Government-guaranteed securities.

Committees Fight Over Bill

The day's highlights relating to the lending program were:

The \$300,000,000 two-year part of the program for farm tenant aid is intended as a substitute for the Lee bill, sponsored by 32 Senators, providing for insurance of farm mortgages up to 100 per cent of their value, or more, it was learned. Senator Bankhead (Democrat), Alabama, leader on farm tenant legislation in the Senate, predicted it would supersede the Lee bill if adopted.

Mounting unpopularity of the lending program in Congress was apparent.

Representative Steagall (Democrat), of Alabama, chairman of the House Banking and Currency Committee, and not Majority Leader Rayburn, as first reported, likely will introduce the bill in the House. This would mean Steagall's committee would get the unwelcome assignment of the bill.

Foreign Loans Disliked

Predictions freely were made that, if the bill contains the proposed provision for loans up to \$500,000,000 to foreign governments, this part will be stricken.

There were forecasts, too, that if the Administration goes through with its plan to submit an omnibus bill, it will be tied up in committee and never get out.

Some indication of sentiment in the Senate toward the lending scheme will be afforded by the vote on the Mead amendment to the relief bill to give the Public Works Administration another \$500,000,000. President Roosevelt submitted the lending plan to Congress as a substitute for the PWA. If so, the lending plan will cease to be a substitute for this provision, and will have to stand by itself.

Garner Highly Critical

Unless farm tenant aid legislation is enacted as part of the lending program, sponsors of the Lee bill intend to make a drive for passage of that measure. The bill no longer would enable tenants and prospective farmers to buy farms without down payment, but would permit refinancing of farm indebtedness.

Chairman Jesse H. Jones, of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, said yesterday he believed Latin-American governments could be made good customers of domestic loans on private loans. The Export-Import Bank, he disclosed, has inquiries regarding loans from Chile and one or two other Latin-American nations.

Representative Robertson (Democrat), Virginia, said he hadn't found anybody who favored the lending plan.

Friends of Vice President Garner described him as highly critical of certain phases of the program, although they said he would not actively oppose the scheme.

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Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Parkway Toll

WE ARE HAVING a big to-do over the imposition of a 10-cent toll on the Merritt parkway, a luxury boulevard in Connecticut which starts at the New York State line and rolls over the hills of the Greenwich dude country and away to New England. The parkway follows a line generally parallel to the old Boston post road, which shoves straight through an almost continuous chain of industrial cities, suburbs and towns and is always heavily cluttered with motorized boxcars hauling freight. The parkway is a speed road with a limit of 50 miles an hour, patrolled by State cops who usually will stand for 55, whereas the post road is a terrible drag with traffic lights glaring all the way and with speed limits as low as 20. It is also infested with the local police of many municipalities, who sometimes, if they are not feeling just right or the town kitty needs a little boost, make life hell for trucks and tourists.

The 10-cent toll entitles you to a 21-mile drive on the Merritt parkway, but the Connecticut Legislature purposely left the side entrances unprotected so that anyone who wants to detour a few miles can skip the toll house and save the dime. The Legislature figured that the saving of a dime wouldn't be worth the bother and the waste of time or the torture of the post road.

It Isn't The Dime, But The Principle

THIS TOLL CHARGE has been raising a big fuss, nevertheless. It seems that it isn't the dime but the principle of the thing, the principle of State entry fees, tariffs and so on. Moreover, this toll was slapped on only after it came out that about \$1,000,000 had been wasted in graft paid to owners of some of the land taken for the highway. Some of this was white graft, received by fine, God-fearing New England Yankees of the highest character and patriotism, and some was black or dishonest graft obtained through conspiracy to hike the prices. In connection with the dishonest graft several indictments have been obtained and one graftee has been convicted. "But, anyone knowing about this larceny and bearing in mind the insufferable civic sanctimony of some of those who grabbed the white graft, is bound to twitch a little when stopped for dimes to help make it up, people just feel that the State of Connecticut, having been robbed, is stealing the money back from third parties. They have raised a clamor regarding encroachment which has had considerable success in getting their populations psychologically prepared for war. Unable thus far to secure new allies, they have at least assured themselves of the neutrality, benevolence or otherwise, of such nations as Spain, Denmark, Yugoslavia and the Baltic republics.

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Smith Castigates Ward

Smith asserted that the bill carries a "joke" which would open the door to unlimited cream brought into Washington under pretense of being used for manufacturing purposes.

Waving a copy of a circular letter recently sent to members of the House by Ward, Smith recited testimony of the Bates subcommittee auditor and charged that Ward had withdrawn \$500,000 in the last five years from the Embassy-Fairfax Dairy and deposited it in a Chicago bank under a ruse of purchasing butter and eggs from the Murphy Butter & Egg Co., of Chicago.

This is the man who is inviting you members of Congress to do you and vote for this bill," he said.

Called Bootleggers' Reward

Representative Shafer (Republican), of Michigan, arose angrily and asked Smith if members of the Maryland-Virginia Milk Producers Association had not placed cards in the automobiles of members and if B. B. Derrick, secretary-treasurer of the association, had not wired dairy co-operatives "to put the heat on members."

Smith replied that the association and its officers were doing everything in their power to defeat the Schulte bill as the legislation, if enacted, would deprive many farmers in this milkshed.

"The Schulte bill is a reward to milk bootleggers for violating the law," he said.

Representative Schulte (Democrat), of Indiana, was chief spokesman for the measure, supported by Representatives Dirksen (Republican), of Illinois; Halleck (Republican), of Indiana, and Shafer.

Price War Forecast

Citing the sales records of some of the members of the Maryland-Virginia association, Schulte scoffed at the idea that they are "little farmers." The District government, he asserted, "operated by the Maryland-Virginia association."

Representative Sandager (Republican), of Rhode Island, who urged that the measure be referred to the problem, said enactment of the Schulte bill would lead to a price war among distributors in which the dairy trust and dairies well financed would survive.

Representative Gross (Republican), of Pennsylvania, who is a dairy farmer himself, told the House that the Schulte bill would never reduce the retail price of milk.

Coffee to Speak

Representative Coffee (Democrat), of Washington, will address the United Jewish Youth of Washington at 8:30 p. m. today at the Jewish Community Center. He will speak on "Youth Can Safeguard Democracy."

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Off The Record

By Ed Reed



Sultry Weather

By Barnet Nover

Another Storm Brewing

IT WILL BE little short of miraculous if Europe lives through the summer without going through another nerve-shattering crisis.

For the past two-and-a-half months the Old World has been able to enjoy a period of relative calm. During that period the totalitarian powers have refrained from further aggression. There has been a repetition of what happened earlier in the year when Czechoslovakia's independence was destroyed, Memel was annexed by the Third Reich and Albania made part of the Italian empire.

Hitler and Mussolini have taken time to digest their latest conquests. And, no doubt, they have also been intimidated, if only temporarily, by Britain's drastic change of front and by the creation of an antiaggression bloc in Europe.

THE DICTATORS have not stood still, however. Determined to have their way in Europe and the Mediterranean, they have been busily engaged in preparing for the moment when, because of their own strength or the weakness of the other side, it would again be safe and profitable to indulge in aggression.

They have countered the inclusion of Poland, Rumania, Greece and Turkey in the Anglo-French bloc by transforming the Berlin-Rome axis into an offensive-defensive alliance and by speeding up their war preparations to the absolute limit. They have raised a clamor regarding encroachment which has had considerable success in getting their populations psychologically prepared for war. Unable thus far to secure new allies, they have at least assured themselves of the neutrality, benevolence or otherwise, of such nations as Spain, Denmark, Yugoslavia and the Baltic republics.

THERE ARE indications that the respite may soon be over. The storm clouds are blowing in again over the European horizon and it may not be long before they break.

It is clearly an ominous circumstance that more and more German reservists are being called to the colors for longer or shorter training periods. More than 2,000,000 men are already under arms in the Third Reich and by mid-August or early September that number may be considerably increased. It is also ominous that the number of troops that have been sent to Slovakia is now said to be no fewer than 200,000. Those troops are in an excellent position to attack Poland from the south. They constitute spearheads directed at the Polish industrial area in Upper Silesia and at the Polish "central industrial zone" north of the Tatra Mountains. But, perhaps most significant of all, the German army is now said to be no fewer than 200,000. Those troops are in an excellent position to attack Poland from the south. They constitute spearheads directed at the Polish industrial area in Upper Silesia and at the Polish "central industrial zone" north of the Tatra Mountains. But, perhaps most significant of all, the German army is now said to be no fewer than 200,000. Those troops are in an excellent position to attack Poland from the south. They constitute spearheads directed at the Polish industrial area in Upper Silesia and at the Polish "central industrial zone" north of the Tatra Mountains.

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SINCE Premier Chamberlain's Birmingham speech of the eighteenth of March, there has been a steady deepening in the virulence of the Nazi press campaign against Great Britain. Now, as in 1914, England is the enemy. For the rulers of the Third Reich do not underestimate the strength of Great Britain and her empire and those nations that the British can summon to their side.

There is a real danger, however, that they may and probably do underestimate the announced British readiness to go to extremes in opposing further aggression.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Racing Song

("New Jersey Agog Over Legalized Horse Racing"—Headline.)

I
Oh, I come from Jersey City—
That's my ol' Kaintucky home—
Way down South by old Hoboken
Where the blue grass people roam!

II
Paterson, ah, that's mah country,
Way down South in old Kaintuck:
How I sigh for old Port Jervis
(Whether in the dry or much),
Dear ol' Bayonne, how it calls me
In the summer, spring and fall
Way down South in dear Metuchen
Where the blue grass grows so tall.

III
Take me back to dear old Newark
Where the fields are snowy white
And I hear the banjos playin'
In the soft and scented night
Let me roam the fields of Trenton
Way down South Kaintucky way
Where the colts and little fillies
In the meadows romp and play.

IV
I'm a lover of fine horseflesh—
In my veins I guess it runs;
I'm from Louisville, New Jersey,
Where are raised true sporting sons;
When I hear a bugle calling
It's a plain, clear call to me
From the big Kaintucky Derby
Way out West at ol' Fort Lee.

V
Where they breed the finest horses
That's where I was born and bred
Out in Matt Wynn's town, Absecon
Where now roams the famed "Big Red";
Way down South in Hudson County
Where a horse is truly king
Mid the cotton fields of Princeton;
That's the place of which I sing.

VI
Hark! I hear the hoofbeats thumpin'
Near my ol' Kaintucky home
Right beside Atlantic City
With its scent of country loam;
So I'm off for my ol' homeland
Of Louisville, in far N. J.
For I love the blue grass country
(Got the scratches for today!)

August Lind, a Bronx man, has attended the World's Fair every day since it opened. He hurries home from work; changes his clothes and goes to the fair. Mr. Lind is a man who if he had to choose between not going to a World's Fair and going to a World's Fair, we take it.

IF THE ACTIONS taken by Great Britain during recent months represent an abandonment of the appeasement policy, the speeches made by British statesmen suggest a hankering after adventure.

To take but one example, there is the speech made by Premier Chamberlain at Cardiff last Saturday. It was, by any standards, a strong speech. In it the British premier warned Germany that an attempt to use force to bring about changes would meet with the armed resistance of Great Britain. Yet in the same speech Mr. Chamberlain also said that "opposition is not to change, for in a changing world there must be adjustments from time to time."

For this the Nazis can be forgiven for concluding that so long as a capitulation can be disguised as negotiated settlements, as was the case at Munich, a capitulation can be anticipated. It may prove a dangerous illusion. Yet it is one which Messrs. Chamberlain and Halifax are unwittingly propagating. As the London Economist points out, there is "some danger lest excessive emphasis on the need to convince the German people of our good intentions may not redound to our advantage in disguise by the back door. The need to convince the German people is, indeed, urgent; but it must remain secondary to the more urgent need to constrain the German people's masters."

This is a fact which the present British regime does not appear to understand. Unwittingly, therefore, Mr. Chamberlain may be hastening the very crisis he has been so anxious to avert.

NLRB Supports Strikes, Chamber Speaker Holds

By the Associated Press

John W. O'Leary, chairman of the executive committee of the United States Chamber of Commerce, contended yesterday the National Labor Relations Board has been "active in supporting strikes." He also accused the board of using "fallacious" figures to show strikes had decreased under the Wagner act.

Before the Senate Labor subcommittee considering Wagner act changes, he cited a statement submitted to the committee, asserting that the number involved in strikes

Stricken Boy Wins Diploma at Home



Completes High School in One-Man Graduation

Winner of a battle against physical handicaps is Lawrence Levine, 19, who was awarded a Central High School diploma yesterday in a ceremony at his home. Mrs. Elizabeth Goodman, supervisor of the WPA Handicapped Children's Project which aided young Levine in continuing his education, after being stricken by arthritis, shows him diploma.



Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Accuses Father of Shooting Woman

Eugene Case, 5, told police in Hillsboro, Ohio, that "Daddy just shot Mrs. Richmond," when they discovered the slaying of 46-year-old Mrs. Jannie Richmond. His father, Frank Case, 43, was employed by the woman. Police also accused Case of slaying his father-in-law. Eugene is shown after his father's arrest.

"America," Largest Ocean Liner Built in U. S., Nears Completion



Associated Press Photos.

34-Ton Rudder

For New Liner

Encased in a forest of scaffolding is the stern of the liner "America," being built at Newport News, Va., for the United States Lines. Largest ever built in this country, she is scheduled for launching August 31. An employee of the ship yard is shown beside 34-ton rudder for the liner, designed to carry 1,000 passengers and crew of 500.

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Long Sworn In at Peak of L. S. U. Scandal



Long Takes Oath as Louisiana's Governor

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Earl K. Long (right), brother of Huey Long, took oath of office as Governor of Louisiana last night as his pretty wife (left) watched. Justice J. R. Land administered the oath and Gov. R. W. Leche (second from right), who resigned, looked on.



Post Staff Photo.

Saluted Flag as Park Camp Was Opened

So that Washington boys can have a safe and healthy vacation off city streets, the National Capital Parks opened a boys' camp in Rock Creek Park yesterday in the playground area at Military road and Daniel road. The site is one of three to be set aside for boys from 7 to 15 years of age.



Washington Scouts Off for Transcontinental Trip

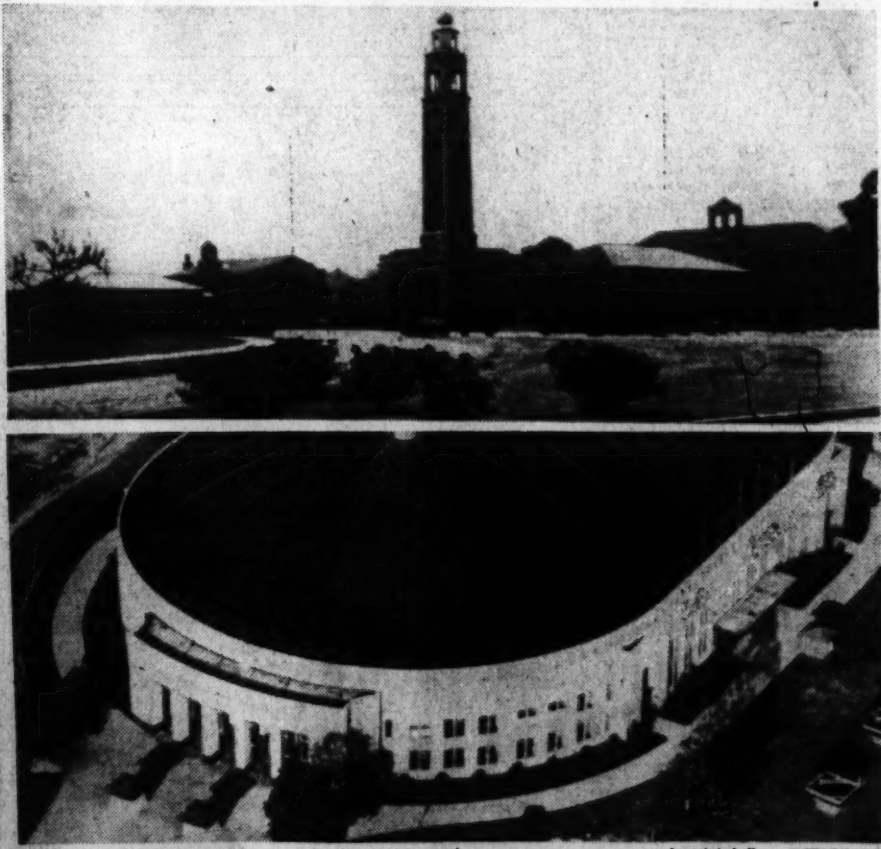
Left to right (front)—Donald Addor, Joseph Ralph, Robert Solomon and Frank Last. Rear—Robert Bains, Albert C. Henson, Jr., John Chandler, Scout master, and Paul Atkins. They left Washington yesterday for transcontinental goodwill trip by automobile. They will tour 33 States, Mexico and Canada.



Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Brazilian Army Chief Welcomed to Texas

Gen. Goes Monteiro (center), chief of staff of the Brazilian army, is shown yesterday as he was welcomed at San Antonio, Tex., by high-ranking Army officials and members of the city government.



Associated Press WIREPHOTOS.

L. S. U. President Disappears; Charge Funds Gone, Too

The administration building (top) and coliseum of Louisiana State University. President James Monroe Smith disappeared yesterday, following charges that several thousand dollars of its funds were missing. Resignation of Gov. Leche in favor of Lieut. Gov. Long was delayed after Smith's disappearance. The new Governor's brother, Huey Long, lavished many thousands of dollars on the school.

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

Not a Thing to Wear!

IN GREAT HASTE to depart for New York to buy her new winter wardrobe, Mrs. Henrietta DeGoofey, founder and president of the Do Something About It League, held a brief press conference yesterday.

"I am really ashamed to face you in these old summer clothes," Mrs. DeGoofey apologized to the press representatives. "I did not realize winter was so close until I saw some of the new felt and velvet hats in a downtown shop window today."



Mrs. DeGoofey

"Now as a rule I always have my complete fall outfit long before the Fourth of July, but I have been so busy with my numerous reforms that I have simply let my clothes go. Now I am in constant terror for fear some of my out-of-town friends will arrive and find me wearing this old straw hat and this print dress."

"Why don't you buy your clothes here, Mrs. DeGoofey?" asked a civic association editor.

"Simply because the winter things are so late arriving. I am shocked that so few of the merchants are displaying winter hats. And the suede shoes, I understand, will not be in until next week. Moreover, the heaviest thing you can find in a black dress is a jersey or crepe. Now I feel definitely that every woman should be in her black satin by late June anyway."

Wool Outfit For July

"What do you plan buying for fall?" asked a fashion writer.

"Ah, that is a secret! I am going to surprise you! I will, however, say this much—I am considering at least one simple little wool dress with a short fur jacket. You see, I am expecting to go on a lecture tour in the Middle West in July and I feel that would be an ideal travel outfit."

"Will you not take a vacation, Mrs. DeGoofey?" asked a labor editor.

"Yes, indeed! I expect to combine business with pleasure by starting some drastic bathing suit reforms at nearby beaches. But I am not ready to give out details of that campaign yet."

"Will you buy an extensive wardrobe in New York?" asked a financial writer.

"Only a few simple little things. I understand the wool growers of Mesopotamia are going to present me with a complete wool outfit, including shoes, bag and underwear. Then I shall get a few beaded evening gowns and possibly a dressmaker suit of velvet."

"That would be darling with your silver foxes," exclaimed a gossip columnist.

Mink Cape Is Seasonable

"No, I think it is a little late to wear silver foxes," demurred Mrs. DeGoofey. "I feel they are more of a summer fur. I really think a mink cape would be more suitable right now."

"Pardon me, Mrs. DeGoofey," interrupted a London correspondent, "but don't you think that in this—or tropical climate you are rather rushing the season?"

"Indeed, that is exactly what I am trying to do!" was the answer. "But you—well, this is only June," protested the correspondent.

"Certainly! All the more reason every woman should be in her wools and furs. You may quote me as saying that I am shocked and surprised to see women on Washington streets still wearing light dresses and white shoes. Now by next year the Do Something About It League hopes to get every woman into her next fall's outfit by the end of May at the latest."

"But in time, Mrs. DeGoofey, where would that lead?" asked an editorial pundit.

"Just where it ought to lead," was the reply. "Eventually, don't you realize, women would be buying their next winter's clothes in December—which is exactly the time they should be buying them! You see, young man, I am not quite such a fool as you think me."

Make-up Expert Offers Advice on Use of Perfume

Hollywood men might be ultra-modern and urbane in their attitude toward women, but they still have a few old-fashioned notions. For example, when it comes to women's perfumes, the majority vote for lilac.

Girls in their teen age are partial to sweet pea, while the sophisticated still favor gardenia with overtones of sandalwood. As to the selection of perfume, Monte Westmore, Hollywood make-up director for the motion picture studios, believes that a woman's best guide to choosing perfume is her own innate instinct. However, he offers the following suggestions for a more effective use of perfumes:

"Place a drop or two of a favorite scent in the hollow of the throat. Some mysterious property causes it to play about the shoulders. Here it is, here it isn't—effect that is considerably intriguing."

"Create an aura effect about the entire body by spraying a light cologne or toilet water about you after the bath. Or spray the hair with the perfume at the completion of the toilette."

"Put a drop of perfume in the bend of each elbow, in the palm of the hand, in the hem of a flying bouffant frock."

Silk Is Presented at Court



Luxurious silk has taken its bow on badminton courts all over the country. The silk badminton dress (above) is of gray shantung, which is about as airy as a breeze on the active player's back. Two flapped pockets and bright gold buttons distinguish the design of this costume, as suitable for table tennis as for badminton. A softening 12-gore skirt helps in the freedom of service and speed on the court.

Cold Platter for Summer Is Suggested by Miss Atwater

By Martha Elynn, The Post Food Editor

"COOL, QUICK AND EASY" is the food slogan of Miss Ruth Atwater, who today provides the recipe message for Post readers.

Miss Atwater is one of the most widely known economists in the United States, and might be called the traveling home economist, for she travels approximately 30,000 miles each year in the interest of better foods.

Born a New Yorker, Miss Atwater was educated in New York, and taught home economics at Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., before joining the home economics staff of Chicago University. Later she

was the head of the home economics school, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., until 1927 when she became identified with the National Canners Association. Very soon Miss Atwater will start on a circle trip of 8,000 miles over the country for the National Canners Association.

Summertime Cold Platter

Here is Miss Atwater's hot weather suggestion for Washington Post readers:

"One of my favorite meals in hot weather is a cold platter. There are so many variations that the possibilities of combination give great variety. The cold platter may be a meat combination with a vegetable salad, a fish combination with a crisp green salad, or it may be a fruit plate or a combination of meat, fish and cheese, or any other grouping of foods that pleases you. I use canned meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, cheese and fruit in preparing my platters, so there is practically no work involved and I can get this type of meal in the proverbial 'wink of an eye.'"

"I put my cans of food into the refrigerator the night before, as the meats slice so much better if they are very cold, and the fruits and vegetables have added zest if they are chilled."

"I mixed a night I served this platter: a can of vegetables, a can of French dressing and let them stand in the refrigerator for an hour. I arranged the salad in a mound in the center of a platter and surrounded it with sliced canned corned beef, canned ham, and canned tongue; tomato wedges and canned pineapple cubes were used for garnish. And I was delighted when the guests all came back for more."

(Tomorrow—Ann Sullivan Hagen will give her favorite recipe.)

Mary Haworth's Mail

Loving Wife Outraged When Husband Comes Home Smeared With Lipstick; Asks What to Do?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am 20 years old and my husband is 27. We have been married three years and have a baby boy, 18 months old. I am very much in love with my husband, but, to all outward appearances, he doesn't love me. Although he seems to adore our child, he doesn't plan for his future in any way, and never deprives himself in any way to give the baby or me what we need. Although we have plenty to eat and wear, and a decent place to live, I never have any spending money. He gives me the exact amount for laundry, insurance and rent, and that is all.

However, money isn't the real problem. He drinks a lot and over the week-ends he stays intoxicated all day. Every Sunday he leaves the house about 2 o'clock in the afternoon and doesn't return until midnight or later. When I ask him where he has been, or what he was doing, he tells me it's none of my business. This past Sunday he came home around midnight in the usual condition (staggering and minus about half of his money), and when he took his coat off I noticed lipstick on his shirt sleeve. Then I noticed it on his face. Now I have reason to suspect he has been going out with another woman.

I am thinking of leaving him, but my home is about 50 miles from here and I would have to bring the baby back every few weeks, for at least a year, as he has crippled feet and is being treated by a bone specialist. When I tell my husband I am going to leave, he says: "Go on." He says he doesn't care. I have never done anything to make him treat me this way. Sometimes I think I have been too good to him, as I always wait up for him to come home and help him to bed, and the next morning I fix an icebox for his hang-over and bring him coffee in bed.

After last Sunday, I don't care whether I ever do anything more for him. But yet I love him, with all my heart. I feel as if I could not live if I had to stay away from him. What must I do? I have confided in some of my friends and they all tell me to stay with him until the boy's feet are corrected. What is your advice? UNDECIDED.

The Lesser Humiliation

DEAR UNDECIDED: Judging from the way the wind is blowing, I venture to think that your marriage will land, eventually, upon the rocks. I imagine that divorce, or complete legal separation, is inevitable—since your husband is both obstinately and definitely committed to the twin vices of alcoholism and spiritual (if not technical) infidelity to his marriage vows, and since you are temperamentally incapable (as most modern wives are) of adjusting yourself philosophically to a marital relationship that has become, for you, a whitened sepulcher of faith, hope and trust destroyed.

However, if you must choose, at this time, between staying with your husband (in spite of his painfully disappointing behavior) and going "back home" to live with your parents, I believe you will be better off where you are for the present, all things considered—although it is remaining you will be running the risk, of course, of involving the existence of your child in a life of poverty and perhaps affliction, to further complicate the picture.

Only in the most exceptional cases—so rare as to be next to nonexistent—do parents possess the infinite generosity of spirit, the quality of healing understanding, to accept back into the family fold, as though she had never been away, a daughter who has had the misfortune to make an ill-fated marriage, and particularly, if the parents make must be designed to safeguard your own and your child's well-being, and not designed to punish your husband for his intrinsic defects of character.

You must plan toward a future situation in which, though deprived of your husband, you will nevertheless continue to be mistress of your own domain, however small and unpretentious. You must give thought to a suitable occupation, which will make you at least partially self-supporting, even though you may rightfully look to your husband for the child's care and education. You must concern yourself alike with finding a job and fitting yourself for it. And don't handicap yourself by whining. "But how can I do it?" is the baby to look after; and besides, I haven't any money to get around on."

Glamour Girls Take to Milk

Today's would-be glamour girls no longer scoff at old-fashioned beauty methods. Instead they have adopted them as their own. Milk in one form or another is one beauty aid that modern women have revived from ancient beauties.

Actresses, professional models and other women, who demand flawless complexions, have become ardent milk drinkers. A recent canvass of screen stars brought forth a chorus or praise in testimony to milk's importance as a beauty aid. Anne Shirley maintains that drinking large quantities of milk keep her complexion fresh and looking. Ginger Rogers drinks a glass of milk each night to induce sleep.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

AT NOON, New York, June 26, a pretty girl named Violet Sweet Haven sat in our parlor and talked with Hall and me. Three hours later she and three other ladies took off from Port Washington as part of the human cargo of press and radio people on the first mass flight of the clipper ship to Europe. And so on to Marguerite for Violet. What an assignment! And La Haven's achievement, for drive, thoroughness and competence, is amazing.

She has a good job in the Attorney General's office in Washington, and she likes it. But Violet is one of those souls who must go places and tell about them, especially by air. Having lived in the Orient, and being a confirmed airport student, a couple of years ago she managed a flight to Hongkong and back over the Pacific, and now has a little book, "Hongkong for the Week-End," to show for it. The week-end for her desk and began saving up vacation days. Having saved 8, and sold herself to one of the three big wire news

services for the press preview flight across the Atlantic, and away she went.

Violet is an extraordinary girl. She prepared for this historic flight with stupendous care—writing advance stories, and so on. She is what we used to call a "getter" of purest ray serene, and she gets, and no mistake. She has had some newspaper experience in the Far East, but she never went through it "mill the hardest way." Yet she is able and bulldogged in what she wants to do. She's blondest and tall, and she talks in a disarmingly girlish way which catches editors completely off guard. And, by golly, she does the things she wants.

Margaret Anglin, great star of yesterday, is now turning loose that golden voice in radio drama, she tells me. The wondrous lady of "Cyrano," "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" and "The Great Divide" now spouts lines in ordinary air, and she is mildly happy to be busy. Mom and Pop will be glad that the grand old star is still punching.

Your Figure, Madame!

By Ida Jean Kain

Banana and Skim Milk Diet Provides Quick Method of Reducing Five Pounds May Be Taken Off in 10-Day Period

HOW TO make quick work of your reducing: Go on what Jean Tennyson calls the "five and ten diet." The pretty prima donna explains the diet this way: "You eat five bananas a day, drink five glasses of skim milk a day, and lose five pounds in ten days!"

What makes a neat 900-calorie diet by which anyone can lose five pounds, perhaps a little more, and it's Miss Tennyson's observation that "you don't get hungry between bananas."

Johns Hopkins' Discovery

Restricted as the diet is, it is a good one. You recognize it, of course, as the banana and skim milk diet. This diet was originated by Dr. Harrop, of Johns Hopkins University, and it has proved to be very successful. Generally speaking, you are allowed from four to six bananas a day and four glasses of skim milk a day. Spinach, lettuce or raw cabbage are added to the luncheon and dinner menus to supply bulk.

The banana and skim milk diet is particularly good in warm weather when cold meals are appetizing. Another advantage to the diet is that it can be followed by one member of the family without being foisted on other members. Also, it is very easy to prepare and the servings measure themselves.

Varied Menu

In case you do not relish bananas for all three meals, the originator of the diet has suggested a way by which it may be varied: Have the bananas and skim milk for breakfast and luncheon, but switch to a 500-calorie balanced menu for dinner. There is only one real disadvantage to this diet. It does not change your food habits and for that reason it does not help you to keep slim. You can take your choice, however, and reduce either on the banana and skim milk diet or on a varied diet of the same number of calories.

BANANA AND SKIM MILK DIET

BREAKFAST	CALORIES
1 Banana	100
1 Glass skim milk	80
LUNCHEON	
2 Bananas	200
1 Glass skim milk	80
1/2 Head lettuce (Reduced's French Dressing)	25
DINNER	
2:30 P. M.	
1 Glass skim milk	80
2 Bananas	200
1 Glass skim milk	80
Spinach or salad	25
TOTAL FOR DAY	375

BALANCED 1,000-CALORIE MENU	CALORIES
BREAKFAST	
Orange Juice, 1/2 glass	50
Poached egg on slice of whole-wheat toast	150
Coffee, clear	200
LUNCHEON	
Toasted tomato and bacon sandwich. Reduced's Mayonnaise	250
Glass skim milk	80
Melon	250

DINNER	CALORIES
Baked ham, 1 slice, 4 1/2 x 1 1/2 inch.	100
(Trim off fat)	
Asparagus tips, 3	15
Wax beans, 1/2 cup	25
Hard roll	100
Butter, 1 pat	50
Glass of skim milk	80
TOTAL CALORIES FOR DAY	915

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Two Little Fishes Steal Show at Garden Party

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Holcomb Entertain in Honor of English Speaking Union at Quantic

By Elizabeth Henney.

TWO LITTLE FISHES stole the show yesterday afternoon when the Commandant of the Marine Corps, Maj. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, and Mrs. Holcomb entertained at a garden party at their quarters in the Marine Barracks in honor of the English-Speaking Union.

The fish were sitting on the mantel in the drawing room and caught the eye of all the guests who passed down the receiving line. Made of Chinese porcelain and glazed in soft rose and pale green, the ornaments had just arrived from China, as a present for Mrs. Holcomb, who collects fish in all forms.

Mrs. Holcomb, who received with Gen. Holcomb, first in the drawing room, later (during the parade) on the sunporch, and still later in the garden, was gown in seagreen marquisette over silk print. She wore a pair of exquisite Chinese earrings of coral and jade, and at her throat a small pin of diamonds and gold in the shape of a fan-tailed fish.

Assisting in the garden during the afternoon at the tea tables were Mrs. Charles T. Brooks, who wore a black and white print with coral trim, and a black hat; and Mrs. Holland Smith, wearing a garden party frock of white lawn with Chinese embroidery. With it she wore a blue cartwheel hat. Officiating at the sherbet bowl in one corner of the large garden was Mrs. Jack Juhan, who was gown in a gray-mauve and white dotted bolero frock, with a red ballpoint hat.

Rudasill, Group Capt. G. C. Pirie, Air Attache of the British Embassy, and Mrs. Pirie, Mrs. F. Wilkes Pyle, Mrs. Wallace Dempsey, Anthony Addison, Miss Bertha Noyes, Dr. and Mrs. James Robertson and many more.

Miss Thomas Becomes Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eugene Thomas, of Boston announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Walter N. Brown, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter N. Brown, of Garret Park, Md., on Sunday, June 11, in Boston. The couple will make their home temporarily in the Massachusetts capital.

The bride was graduated in 1938 from Posse College, where she majored in physiology, completing the four-year course in three years.

Mr. Brown is a graduate of Sidwell Friends' School in Washington and is now a senior at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he is studying electrical engineering. He is a member of the Combined Professional Societies, the Gridiron, honor publication society of M. I. T.; the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

Miss Helen Rogers To Be a July Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Elton Rogers, of 2940 Brandywine street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Jean Rogers, to Philip Curtis Rask, son of Mrs. Henry George Rask, of the Cavalier Apartments and the late Mr. Rask. The ceremony will take place July 15.

Miss Rogers is a graduate of Cornell University and a member of Phi Beta Kappa society. She attended George Washington University and is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Miss Frances Perkins Returns From Denver

Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor, returned yesterday from Denver, where she attended the national convention of the American Association of University Women.

Among other Washington delegates, who stopped at the Brown Palace Hotel there, were Mrs. Forbes Watson, accompanied by Mrs. Charles H. Bess Furman, Mrs. William Stephen Corby, Vice Admiral and Mrs. Harry M. P. Huse and Mrs. James Lee Ackerson.

Also Mrs. Emerson Howe, Miss Virginia Hunt, Mrs. C. M. Cutts, Mrs. Mary Jones, Miss Margaret Delano Gage, Miss Katherine

Explored Desert by Caravan



Underwood & Underwood.

MRS. WILLIAM BURLEIGH, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Peters, of Macomb street, has just completed a caravan trip across Arabia with her husband. They were entertained by King Ibn Saud in his hunting camp and later traveled through Persia, visiting Bagdad and Damascus before sailing from Beirut. Mr. Burleigh is now in Arabia, where his wife will meet him in the fall.

Audrey Cowan Plans Debut

Another addition to the ever-growing list of debutantes for the forthcoming season is Miss Audrey Cowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cowan, of 2141 Wyoming avenue. She will be presented in Montreal at Christmas time, when she will visit her grandmother, Mrs. Maurice Davis.

Miss Cowan, who was recently graduated from Western High School, will leave Washington next month for Jamestown, R. I., where she will visit Miss Suzanne Slinguff, daughter of Commander and Mrs. Frank Slinguff. She will return to Washington in the fall.

Another of the group who refuse to let debbing delay all of their time and energies, Miss Cowan will continue next fall her studies at the Stuart Art School here, where she specializes in fashion illustrating.

Rubles to Reside in Poolesville

Now on a Northern honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Ruble will make their home temporarily in Poolesville on their return. Their wedding took place in the Methodist Church in Poolesville on Saturday, June 17, at 4 p. m., with the Rev. Lewis Rudasill, pastor of the church, officiating.

Mrs. Ruble is the former Miss Claire Painter, daughter of Clarence E. Painter. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white lace gown with a large picture hat and white accessories. Her flowers were roses.

Miss Doris Welsh was the maid of honor and only attendant. She wore blue lace with white accessories and a corsage of pink sweet peas. Ralph Ruble, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man, and Miss Elvira Rudasill played the wedding music.

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Senator and Mrs. Dennis Chavez, of New Mexico, are at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York.

The Comptroller of the Currency and Mrs. Preston Delano have moved from 2400 Sixteenth street to the Hay-Adams House.

Mrs. Frederick I. Thompson has come from her home in Mobile, Ala., to join Mr. Thompson at the

Swedish Royalty Arrives Tonight For D. C. Visit

Crown Prince Olav and Crown Princess Martha of Norway, who will arrive tonight for a visit to Washington, spent two days visiting at the Greenbrier in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., to rest up before the strenuous social schedule which awaits them here.

They passed Saturday and Sunday in rest and informal walks to points of historic and scenic interest, and also attended a concert given in the Colonades.

Included in the royal party are the Norwegian Minister, Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstjerne, who has been traveling about the country with the couple, Anne Bryn, first secretary of the legation; Maj. Nicolai Oestgaard, aide de camp to the crown prince, and Mrs. Oestgaard, lady-in-waiting to the princess, and Capt. Niles Arentzen Ramm.

Dr. Grove, Bride On Wedding Trip

Dr. and Mrs. Robert D. Grove, who were married on Tuesday at 3 o'clock in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, will make their home at 1750 Harvard street, Washington, on their return from their honeymoon.

The bride is the former Miss Jane Nickell, daughter of R. B. Nickell and the late Mrs. Nickell, and Dr. Grove's parents are Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Grove, of Lewisburg, Pa.

Their wedding took place at 3 o'clock in the Lincoln Chapel of the church, the Rev. Peter Marshall officiating. Mrs. Lee Brown, of Arlington, served as matron of honor for her sister, and Robert F. Lenhart, of Washington, was best man. A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown followed the ceremony.

Miss Eleanor Sparks To Wed Lieut. Groves

Mrs. F. V. Dennison announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Sparks, daughter of the late J. C. Sparks, to Lieut. G. Patrick Groves, U. S. M. C., stationed at Quantico.

The wedding will take place Saturday, at the Western Presbyterian Church at 4:30 o'clock with the Rev. J. Harvey Dunham officiating. The couple will make their home in San Diego, where Lieut. Groves will be stationed.

Mr. Gibb, of Front Royal, To Wed Mary Maddux

Mrs. Thomas Henderson Maddux, of Marshall, Va., announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Parke, to Duncan Chapin Gibb, son of Mrs. Frank Bowers Gibb and the late Mr. Gibb, of Front Royal.

The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Thomas Henderson Maddux. She is a graduate of St. Catherine's School in Richmond. Mr. Gibb attends the University of Virginia, where he is a law student. No date has been set for the wedding.

Tochi Go, Japanese commissioner to the New York World's Fair, has returned to New York after spending several days at the Shoreham. Over the week-end he participated in a golf tournament with several members of the embassy staff.

Mrs. Joseph C. Byron, of Hagerstown, Md., is at the Mayflower.

Mrs. Lewis Fetes Symphony Committee

Gives Tea at the Sulgrave Club for Boxholders' Group

Mrs. Reeve Lewis gave a small tea yesterday afternoon at the Sulgrave Club in honor of members of the committee on boxes of the National Symphony Orchestra.

Those at the party included Mrs. Eugene Byrnes, Mrs. Carl Droop, Mrs. James Clement Dunn, Mrs. E. R. Finkenstaedt, Mrs. John Rowland Hill and Mrs. Edwin M. Watson. The committee is in charge of assignment of boxes for the mid-week concerts of the National Symphony Orchestra during its regular winter season.

Last season's boxholders were headed by Mrs. Roosevelt, and included the French Ambassador, the Soviet Ambassador, Mrs. Anne Archbold, Mrs. Truxton Beale, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Chester C. Bolton, Mrs. C. C. Cappel, Miss Alice Clapp, Dr. Linn F. Cooper, Mrs. Beale R. Howard, Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Mrs. Frederic A. Keep, Mrs. Hans Kindler, Mrs. Charles Lea, Mrs. George Hewitt Myers and other social notables.

Envoy Fetes Mayor of Paris

Though the French Ambassador, Count de Saint Quentin, is sick with an infected foot, the luncheon which he had planned yesterday in honor of the Mayor of Paris, M. le Provost de Launay, went off anyway as scheduled.

Countess de Saint Quentin, mother of the envoy, and his cousin, Viscountess de la Noie, served as hostesses. The guests were Mme. Peter, wife of the Swiss Minister; M. Romazotti, M. Ballu, and M. Henry, who accompanied M. de Launay here; M. Soulangue Tessler, and from the embassy staff, the Military Attache and Mme. Lombard, the Financial Counselor, Maurice Garreau-Domale, Jacques Dumaine, First Secretary, and the Third Secretary and Mme. Lucet. M. and Mme. Jean Baube rounded out the party.

The Ambassador will give a dinner tonight for the mayor, who came to this country to visit the World's Fair.

Gen. Reynolds' And Daughter Leave for Summer

The Surgeon General of the Army, Maj. Gen. Charles R. Reynolds, Mrs. Reynolds and their daughter, Miss Hebe Reynolds, have closed their apartment at the Dresden and will leave Washington today for their summer camp in the Adirondacks.

They will be joined about July 1 by Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Reynolds, Jr., who will remain there most of that month. Mr. Reynolds is connected with the Department of Labor.

Gen. and Mrs. Reynolds expect to return to Washington early in the fall. Gen. Reynolds will retire in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Hintz Living in District

Mr. and Mrs. William Edmund Carl Hintz, who were married June 5, will be at the Normandie Apartments here this summer before taking up their residence at College Park, Md., where Mr. Hintz is library executive at the University of Maryland. His wife, the former Miss Frances Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Bryant, of Ogden, Utah, teaches there. Mr. Hintz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Max E. Hintz, of South Bend, Ind.

Their wedding took place at St. Andrew's Church in College Park. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white brocade satin. Her maid of honor and only attendant was Miss Iris Parrish. Eric Lindahl was best man and the ushers were John Williams and Warren Zeighouse.

A reception at the bride's home followed the ceremony. Mrs. James A. Abell and Mrs. William T. Slye officiated. Red and white gladioli decorated the drawing room.

The bride attended Dumbarton College and St. Patrick's Academy and College in Richmond. She is a member of Delta Sigma Pi, international fraternity. Mrs. Simmons is a granddaughter of Judge Robert Slye, of Madison, Md.

Return From Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tate, who were married on June 17, have returned from their wedding trip and are in their home in Landover, Md.

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

Shoreham, where they have taken an apartment. The latter was recently appointed a member of the Federal Communications Commission.

Mrs. Edward T. Statesbury, who will spend next winter in Washington, has left the Waldorf-Astoria in New York to spend the remainder of the summer at her home in Bar Harbor.

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About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

Distinguished Visitors From Abroad Keep Capital Social Season Humming

A SURE BAROMETER of the unseasonable spring in Washington this summer is that if you mention "seasonal lull" or "summer exodus"—to coin a couple of phrases—to one of the social secretaries who work for members of the Diplomatic Corps, she probably won't know what you're talking about. Instead of closing down on formal entertaining at the first sign of warm weather, as has always been their custom, the embassies are keeping on the secretaries through July—all because of the steady stream of distinguished visitors from other countries. The majority of said visitors, like the Mayor of Paris, now here, came over to see the World's Fair.

Arriving this morning by plane is F. Gustav Moeller, Swedish Minister of Commerce, who was a principal speaker at festivities celebrating about Sweden Day on Sunday at the fair. This is his first visit to our country and he hopes to meet some of the Administration leaders during his stay in Washington. Later he will visit Chicago and other American cities. A former journalist, then Secretary of the Social Democratic Party and editor of its newspaper, Mr. Moeller has also served as minister of the department of social affairs. He has just been to Philadelphia to dedicate the John Ericsson room in the museum there. Ericsson, in case you've forgotten your history, was the man who invented the Monitor, first iron-clad vessel, which fought against the Merrimack in a famous Civil War battle.

SEVERAL "visiting" friends from Holland will also be in Washington this week, and the Commercial Counselor of the Netherlands Legation and Mme. Molekamp will give an informal buffet supper for them tomorrow evening. The Minister, Alexander Louidon, will be among those present—and if the weather is nice, the party will be held in the Molekamp's garden.

A very distinguished visitor scheduled for August is Edouard

Donald Webers On Honeymoon

Following a two-week motor trip in the East, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richard Weber, whose wedding took place in Washington on Saturday, will make their home at 2122 Decatur place.

The former Miss Dorothy Josephine Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Granville Graves, and Mrs. Weber, son of Mrs. William F. Weber, of Omaha, Neb., were married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, The Rev. Arlington A. McCallum officiated at the 4:30 ceremony, assisted by the Rev. William F. Weber, Jr., brother of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gown in white satin, fashioned princess style with a long train. Her long tulle veil was held by a coronet of seed pearls and she carried white gladioli and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Charles L. Constantines, Jr., was the matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Jean Spencer, of Norwich, N. Y., and Miss Ruth Graves Rutherford, of New Jersey, a classmate of the bride.

Miss Dorothy Louise Mater, a cousin of the bride, was the flower girl. Hildeman E. Johnson, of Minot, N. Dak., was the best man, and the ushers included Lee A. Weber, brother of the bridegroom, and Robert Livingston. Following the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is a graduate of Elmira College in Elmira, N. Y., where she was active in dramatics and was president of student government in her senior year. All of her attendants are classmates, and on June 19 Mrs. Weber was maid of honor for her matron of honor, Mrs. Constantines.

Mr. Weber is a graduate of George Washington University.

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The Comptroller of the Currency and Mrs. Preston Delano have moved from 2400 Sixteenth street to the Hay-Adams House.

Mrs. Frederick I. Thompson has come from her home in Mobile, Ala., to join Mr. Thompson at the

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D. C. Club Federation Hits Schulte Milk Bill

Unanimously Opposes Substitution of U. S. Public Health Ordinance for Local Rules; Mrs. Horace J. Phelps Offers Resolution

By Jessie Ash Arndt,

The Post Staff Writer

Unanimous action in opposition to the Schulte bill, which would substitute the 1939 edition of the U. S. Public Health milk ordinance for the present act regulating the sale of milk, cream and ice cream in the District, marked the last session of the season for the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs at the Roosevelt Hotel yesterday.

Although there was spirited discussion of the measure, when it came to a vote, there was no dissenting voice. The resolution opposed "any modification of the present law which would permit the sale of milk, cream or ice cream in the District of Columbia of a lower grade than now permitted."

Mrs. Horace J. Phelps, chairman of the Department of Public Welfare, presented the resolution and Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, federation president, presided. Mrs. Phelps pleads for opposition to the Schulte bill was supported by Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, who spoke as the owner of a dairy farm in nearby Virginia, and by Mrs. Ernest W. Howard, chairman of legislation, who has attended the milk hearings.

Several questions regarding the price of milk in the District were brought up and these, Mrs. Phelps said, would be studied by her committee. One item discussed was the cost of milk.

Mrs. Edgar Bryant Meritt, D. C. state chairman for the coming golden jubilee celebration of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in 1941, announced the first in a series of benefits to be given for the fiftieth anniversary foundation fund. It will be a talk on the Indian reservations by Mrs. Wiley, who is chairman of Indian welfare for the general federation, and on Alaska, by the national president, Mrs. Sallie Orr Dunbar. Mrs. Dunbar, who was made an Indian princess during the Alaskan trip of federation members which she conducted following the council meeting in San Francisco, returned to her home in Portland, Ore., after the tour.

From there she came east to Portland, Me., where she attended the Maine State federation meeting. She is now in Boston, expects to spend the last of this week in New York and return to headquarters here the first of next week. Both she and Mrs. Wiley will be dressed in Indian costumes for the program. Arrangements for it are in charge of Mrs. Meritt and Mrs. Lloyd W. Biddle, director to the general federation from the District. Three prizes of Indian handicraft have been offered to the club or individuals which sell the most tickets.

The federation session yesterday included reports on the council meeting by Mrs. Wiley, and by Mrs. LeVerne Beales, first vice president; Mrs. Ruth Rodgers, second vice president, and Mrs.

Charles Lane, delegate from the District. Eleanor Gamble Pinkusohn, coloratura soprano, sang, accompanied by Mabel R. Frost.

Honors Slated For Mrs. Rohrs

Mrs. Pauline L. Rohrs, of Washington, national representative of the Woodmen Circle and State manager of Maryland and the District, will have an important part in the society's national convention, which opened yesterday in New York City, for four days.

Mrs. Odessa Bishop, State president of Oakland, Md.; Mrs. Carolyn Gentner, Miss Evelyn Hunter, Mrs. Ruth Drish and Mrs. Edith Mayers, of Washington, will attend, also, as will guests from Baltimore.

According to Mrs. Rohrs, the convention program will include quadrennial reports by the national president and secretary, election and installation of officers, a twilight memorial service for members who have died in the four years since the last convention.

Mrs. Rohrs will be given special recognition as a member of the Legion of Honor for having rendered outstanding service in the field.

Szold Cultural League Ends Season Tomorrow

Dr. Ned Eisler, economist, will address the final meeting of the season of the Henrietta Szold Cultural League tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Anne Alpher, 2750 Woodley place northwest, at 8 o'clock.

Other features of the program will be a talk on the Palestine Theater by Miss Yetta Dobkin and a presentation of current events by Miss Charlotte Gussie. This will be the last meeting of the club until the fall.

Federation Ends Season



Mrs. Horace J. Phelps (left), chairman of public welfare for the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs, with Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, the president, at the closing meeting of the season, held yesterday at the Roosevelt Hotel. Mrs. Phelps introduced the resolution adopted by the clubwomen, opposing the Schulte bill.

Madame Chairman

By Suzanne



Picnics and Dinner Parties to Precede Cruise Tonight of Women Shoppers

PICNICS and dinner parties will be given tonight in connection with the cruise being sponsored by the League of Women Shoppers aboard the S. S. City of Washington. The boat leaves the pier at Seventh and N streets southwest at 8:30.

Mrs. Mordcaai Ezekiel, president of the league; Mrs. L. Metcalfe Walling and Mrs. Charles W. Collier will be hostesses at picnics, and Mrs. Stephen Raushenbush, Mrs. Lawrence Bloomberg and Mrs. Alexander Hawes will entertain at dinners preceding the cruise. Other entertaining includes Mrs. David Cushman Coyle and Mrs. Alvin I. Rockwell.

Mrs. Robert Horton is chairman of arrangements for the outing, and Mrs. Mary Daugherty is in charge of publicity.

MRS. VIRGINIA WHITE SPEER, who is founder of the League of Republican Women, past president of the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs and National Republican Committee-woman for the District, is preparing to go before July 10 to her old home in Pennsylvania for the summer.

Yesterday her young granddaughter, Virginia White Penhallow, accompanied her to the meeting of the federation at the Roosevelt Hotel, but finding club reports unexciting, she devoted herself happily to a book of comics.

MISS ANGELA WILLIAMS, a teacher in the District schools, and Dr. Henrietta Burton, who is now touring Europe, are local members of the American Association of University Women who will attend the conference of the international association to be held in Stockholm next month.

YESTERDAY Mrs. Gilbert A. Bell gave a program of modern verse in connection with the Monday tea at the A. A. U. W. clubhouse. Mrs. Rufino Ramos was hostess at the gathering, which will be the last until July 24. In the meantime the clubhouse will be closed for renovation.

PLANS for Rural Woman's Day July 11 at the Institute of Public Affairs, at the University of Virginia, were discussed yesterday by members of the Capital division of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association. Mrs. Murray Boocock, national president and Mrs. Jay Winston Johns, division president, were both here from their homes in Charlottesville for the luncheon meeting and bridge, held at the Washington Golf and Country

D. C. Council of Job's Daughters Will Convene Here Tonight

Second Annual Session of Order Will Have Supreme Guardian As Guest of Honor at Meeting

The Grand Guardian Council of the D. C. Order of Job's Daughters tonight will convene in its second annual session at the Wardman Park Hotel. Mrs. Mary E. Teaschum, grand guardian, who will open the council meeting, is responsible for the founding of the order in the District and has been guardian of Bethel, since it was formed 16 years ago. Mrs. Virginia Thompson, supreme guardian, will be guest of honor.

Harry J. Schmidt, past associate supreme guardian, will call the session to order, following which there will be the entrance of the celestial chorus composed of the massed choirs of the six Bethels and of the grand officers, accompanied by queens and princesses of the Bethels as their escorts. Mrs. Margaret Beveridge, the grand chaplain, will offer the invocation.

The program also will include a vocal solo by Miss Nancy Ould, of Bethel 6; presentation of the

national emblem by Miss Dorothy Johnson, honored queen of Bethel 1; a tribute to the District flag by Miss Evelyn Hayes, honored queen of Bethel 3; to the Bethel flag by Miss Florence Fleming, honored queen of Bethel 2; reception of the supreme guardian; greetings from Eugene Thompson, grand master of Masons; response by Herbert B. Nevius, associate grand guardian; greetings from Mrs. Ruth S. Cromelin, grand matron of the Eastern Star; and response from Miss Mary Benefier, vice grand guardian.

Welcome to present and past honored queens of the Bethels by Miss Dorothy Vernon, grand marshal, with Mrs. Christine Balderon responding; welcome to the Job's Daughters, by Miss Jean Dunham, of Bethel 4, to which Miss Mary Ellen Dowden, of Bethel 6, will respond; greeting to past grand guardians and associate grand guardians by Mrs. Laura S. Wallace, and response by William J. Dunham, junior past associate grand guardian.

Tomorrow night there will be a buffet supper, followed by installation of grand officers for the coming year.

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Mrs. Philip J. Fischer Heads Democratic Club

Mrs. Philip J. Fischer was re-elected president of the Woman's Democratic Club of Leland, Chevy Chase, Md., at its June meeting. The other officers are Mrs. William Knapp, vice president; Mrs. Archibald Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. Oscar Galtier, record-

ing secretary, and Mrs. Louis Boswell, treasurer. Mrs. George Smith reported that \$40 had been raised by the club to establish a scholarship for a deaf child to attend the Reinhardt School for the Deaf at Kensington. The club will add to this scholarship during the coming year.

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3 Represent D. C. at Meet

Representing Washington at the triennial national convention of the Girls' Friendly Society, now in session at the Hotel Baltimore in Providence, R. I., are Miss Elsa A. Needham and Miss Joan Rowland, of Washington, and Miss A. Marjorie Zug, of Bowie, Md.

Miss Needham is Washington diocesan president, treasurer of District 3 and national chairman for older members. She was also appointed Saturday to the Committee on the Disposition of Business for the convention. Miss Rowland was made a member of the Committee on Resolutions. Miss Zug is diocesan secretary.

A question over which there was sharp division yesterday at the convention was the proposed amendment which would provide that those joining the society after June 30, 1940, could retain membership only until the age of 20. No age limit now applies. Those enrolled before June, 1940, would not be affected.

Princess Martha To Be Guest at Girl Scout House

H. R. H. the Crown Princess of Norway will honor the Girl Scouts of the United States, by calling at the National Girl Scout Little House, 1750 New York avenue on Friday. Norway and the United States are two of the countries affiliated with the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

Crown Princess Martha will be greeted by Mrs. Frederick H. Brooks, national president of Girl Scouts and will enter the house between an honor guard, composed of members of Troop 22, Lena Barghausen, leader; Troop 58, Mrs. H. E. Yelde, leader, and Troop 114, Mrs. Florence Hoopes, leader.

After a tour of the house she will enter the garden, where a pair of hand woven guest towels will be presented to her by Dorothy Kramer of Troop 22, Neighborhood House, who did the weaving. During her visit District 4 choral group will sing, under the leadership of Mrs. Carolyn O. Green.

Burnside Corps Meets Tomorrow

Burnside Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, met last night at the Grafton Hotel to make plans for the participation in the Fourth of July program of the patriotic and service organizations on the Monument Grounds at 8 p. m. and, on July 12, in the services conducted by the Brightwood Citizens Association, commemorating the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Battle of Fort Stevens. This will be held on the military reservation of Georgia avenue. Mrs. Ella Southard, president, presided.



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George Graham Anderson's Funeral Held Here

Funeral services for George Graham Anderson, 78, a member of the Department of Agriculture forestry service for 30 years and a prominent Mason, who died Sunday, were held last night at his residence, 3908 Ingomar street northwest. Masonic burial will be in City Cemetery, at Roanoke, Va., at 5 p. m. today.

A thirty-third degree Mason, Mr. Anderson was the oldest member of Pleasant, Roanoke lodge. He was president of the relief association of the forestry service and active in the Wesley Methodist Church and other local civic and religious organizations.

Surviving, besides his daughter, Mrs. Chester Morrill, with whom he lived, is a grandson, Chester Morrill, Jr.

Parisians to Lay Wreath on Tomb

A delegation from the Municipal Council of Paris, here on a visit to the New York World's Fair, will lay a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at 10 a. m. today. Among its members are M. le Procureur de la Seine, council president; M. Romasotti, vice president, and M. Ballu, secretary.

Snite Back in U.S. After French Visit

New York, June 26 (AP)—Frederick W. Snite, Jr., "the man-in-iron-lungs" arrived today aboard the Normandie from a pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes in southern France, and said he was "happier today than I have ever been in my life."

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Deadlock Holds on D.C. Supply Bill

Conferees Disagree, Draft Report Today; Continuing Resolution Appears Necessary

With but three major Senate amendments compromised, Senate and House conferees today will meet to draft a report of disagreement on the size of the Federal payment to the District and the Senate increase in appropriations for public school buildings and relief.

As the fiscal year ends on Friday, it appeared that enactment of a continuing resolution would be necessary to provide the District government with operating expenses for a few weeks or months while conferees continue to haggle over the Senate increase in the lump sum payment from \$5,000,000 to \$7,750,000.

Both to Stand Pat

The conference report will be first acted on by the Senate, after which the House will vote on whether or not to accept the Senate amendments. As the House is expected to stand pat on its \$5,000,000 maximum and the Senate on \$7,750,000, the bill will return to conference.

Meanwhile Senator Overton (Democrat), of Louisiana, will try today to get Senate approval of the amended District revenue measure carrying the Overton fiscal formula and a renewal of the business privilege tax on a permanent basis.

Chairman King of the Senate District Committee called a meeting of the committee for tomorrow to clear the calendar of bills. The meeting will start at 3 p. m.

Five minor bills were passed by the House yesterday at the District day session before it became embroiled in a debate on the Schulte milk measure.

One of the measures has passed the Senate and now goes to the White House. It will enable hospitals to establish liens on damage awards for money due them for services in traffic accidents caused by negligence or faults of others.

Senate Gets 4 D. C. Bills
The four other local bills passed by the House now go to the Senate. They authorize the District Commissioners to settle claims and suits filed by the District, authorize police to operate interchangeably in Maryland and Washington.

District officials yesterday, facing the prospect of a continuing resolution to finance the District government, recalled a similar contingency in 1916. The supply bill in that year did not become a law until September.

Mrs. C. M. Saxelby Rites Tomorrow At Chevy Chase, Md.

Funeral services for Mrs. Marguerite Taggart Saxelby, a resident of Washington for 20 years, who died yesterday at her residence, 17 West Irving street, Chevy Chase, Md., after a long illness, will be held there at 2 p. m. tomorrow. Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Surviving, besides her husband, are a son, Charles M. Saxelby, jr., a daughter, Sarah Jo Saxelby, a sister, Mrs. Sarah T. Neidig, all of Washington; two other sisters, Mrs. Benjamin D. Arnold, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Mrs. Donald Wilson, of Maxwell Field, Ala., and a brother, R. Bartley Taggart, of Pittsburgh.

Alfred Williams' Funeral Today; Virginia Burial
Funeral services for Alfred Hopkins Williams, 77, of 1725 tenth street, northwest, a retired clerk of the Veterans Administration, who died Saturday, will take place today at 2:30 p. m.

Survivors are the wife, Mrs. Effie Arnold Williams; two daughters, Mrs. Adolphus McKenzie and Miss Margery Williams of this city; a brother, Parker E. Williams, of Tampa, Fla., and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at Gawler's chapel, 1750 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, burial will be in National Memorial Cemetery, Va.

Full bearers will be R. D. Lynch, Irving M. Tulley, E. G. Linscott, Dr. Clinton Ludwig, William T. Tignor and Walter D. Cunyus.

D.C. Choral Society Wins Civic Forum Singing Contest
First prize in the Civic National Forum's group singing contest, held last night at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, was awarded to the Washington Choral Society, whose director is David Statten.

Second prize went to the Peterson Sisters Quartet. Judges for the contest were Miss Mary Europe, Mrs. Fannie H. Douglas and James L. Hunt. Miss L. L. Bumpers, secretary of the forum, was mistress of ceremonies. All participants were less than 18 years old.



Pat Fraser and Jack Garrett pay no heed to the official sign as they eat ice cream and rest their "jittered-out" feet.

Wheat Makes District Court Assignments

Announces Schedule For Both Summer And Special Terms

Chief Justice Wheat of the District Court yesterday announced assignments of justices to the special term of court to be held during the summer and for special terms beginning October 3.

According to the schedule, Justices Proctor and O'Donoghue will preside from July 1-18; Justices Lurhing and Morris, July 17-August 1; Justice Goldsborough, August 2-18; Justice Letts, August 17-31; Justices Bailey and Adams, September 1-18; Justices Gordon, Cox and Laws, September 17-October 2.

Except during August, Criminal Court No. 1 will be in session for this period.

Permanent assignments, effective October 3, were as follows: Motions court, Justice Proctor; pretrial court and assignment justice, Justice Laws; Civil Court No. 4, Chief Justice Wheat; Criminal Court No. 1, Justice Gordon; Criminal Court No. 2, Justice O'Donoghue; Criminal Court No. 3, Justice Goldsborough; Civil Court No. 1, Justice Adams; Civil Court No. 2, Justice Letts; Civil Court No. 5, Justice Bailey; Civil Court No. 6, Justice Lurhing; Civil Court No. 7, Justice Morris.

196 Coast Guard Employees Here Must Wait for Pay

One hundred ninety-six permanent civilian employees of the U. S. Coast Guard here are waiting for payment of the third deficiency bill for payment of salaries for the period June 25 to June 30, it was reported yesterday.

Rear Admiral L. C. Covell, acting commandant, said action to provide such funds has been taken, but that "Under the circumstances, all service rendered subsequent to June 25 must be regarded as voluntary service, involving no obligation on the part of the Government."

The third deficiency bill, which was passed by the House June 23, is now pending in the Senate.

Roosevelt Wins Silver Star for 25 Years in Grange
Hyde Park, N. Y., June 26 (AP).—F. D. Roosevelt, squire of 1,200 Dutchess County acres, motored up to Chapel Corners, N. Y., this evening and received a silver star certificate denoting his completion of 25 years' continuous membership in the Chapel Corners Grange.

Late in the afternoon, the President drove down to The Clove, a 1,600-acre farm of his old friend, John E. Mack, 16 miles east of Poughkeepsie, for a little trout fishing.

Franklin Roosevelt, jr., visiting his father here, will go into Mack's law office for a three-week period, it was announced. Young Roosevelt is a law student at the University of Virginia.

WPA Art Ban Likened to Nazi Book Burning

Lawyers' Guild Chief Charges Move Cloaks Plan to Wreck Relief

Attacks on the Federal theater, writers and art projects are "a Nazi cultural regime comparable to the Nazi book burnings," Merle Vincent, president of the Washington branch of the National Lawyers Guild, declared last night.

The Nazi regime, he said, "was financed to power by men of much the same mind as the enemies of the WPA cultural projects."

Vincent spoke at a meeting of the National Citizens Committee at the Y. W. C. A. The committee pledged to support "socially useful work in the public service for all competent persons unable to obtain reasonable private employment," condemned the Woodrum relief bill as totally inadequate to the needs of 10,000,000 unemployed. The measure, "under the guise of 'economy,'" would seriously cripple the entire WPA program," the committee resolution asserted.

The WPA is "a design for living for millions of men and women who had no other way of living," Vincent said. "It is an enormous undertaking which has been executed with extraordinary administrative ability."

"Raids by local politicians" account for the "rare exceptions to the high standard of integrity in the WPA administration," he charged. Vincent warned that hostility to the entire WPA program "has been cloaked behind attacks on the cultural projects, which are considered the most susceptible. It is the investment bondholders of 1929 who are now trying to wreck the efforts of 1939."

Other speakers were former Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa, and Mrs. Nina Collier, of the National League of Women Shoppers.

5 D.C. Boys Seniors At Peddie School
Five Washington boys were among 159 students of the Peddie School to receive diplomas at commencement exercises yesterday at Hightstown, N. J.

They were Daniel Norman Burbank, of 3813 Legation street; Sampson Phillip Holland, jr., of 1809 Varnum street northwest; Richard Mansfield Roberts, of 3113 Forty-fourth street northwest; Robert C. McCormick, of 1630 Park road northwest; and Edmund Edward Pendleton, jr., of 5420 Connecticut avenue northwest, who won a medal for scholarship.

City's 'Fine Job' For King Praised
Commissioner Hazen yesterday received formal congratulations on the District Government's part in arranging for the visit of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, in letters from President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull.

The visit was "a real test of the efficiency of the police, fire and other security departments of the District of Columbia," the President wrote.

Joseph P. Bailey, chairman of the association, announced that a military and civic parade down H street northeast from Fifteenth to Fourth streets would open the proceedings at 7:30 p. m. After the parade, James Rogers, president of the association, will speak at Stewart Junior High School. Philip R. Belt, department commander, then will take charge.

Mrs. Goodrich Is Dead at 70
Mrs. Annie Coyle Goodrich, 70, wife of Col. Paul M. Goodrich, U. S. A., retired, died yesterday at her residence, 5518 Broad Branch road northwest after a long illness.

Jitters in the Street



Col. Harrington's spooks, surrounded by scores of gators and a couple of jokers, went right out of the world from 9 to 11 p. m. last night while 300 live savvies cut the rug to some licks on the slush pump and a couple of killer dillers by the voodoo boiler until the cat at the gobble pipe was beat to his socks.

Which is to say, a WPA orchestra, circled by many interested spectators and a pair of addicts who made faces at them, played lively tunes for 2 hours while 300 youngsters who like swing music danced to some hot phrases on the trombone and some fine variations on the drums until the fellow playing the saxophone was exhausted.

The jam session was on the South Ellipse, the first appearance of the season of the WPA orchestra. Despite the fact that some of the dance steps were a trifle more intricate than those

seen at fashionable hotel terraces, and the costumes somewhat less than summer formal, the party was a model of enjoyment and decorum.

Two park policemen said their only task was obliging questioners with the correct time, and the weekly gatherings each Monday for the al fresco dances are invariably well-behaved and happy.

"It's just some nice kids having a nice time," however, is doomed to end after August 31, by terms of the pending relief bill, which wipes out Federally-sponsored arts projects and will return band leader Robert Merchant and his nine musicians to joblessness.

"It seems a pity to," said the policeman. Look at the fun they get and look how little it costs. Those kids could be in a lot worse places."

Father Kyle Bids Farewell To Parish
Sacred Heart Assistant Is Made Pastor at St. Elizabeths Hospital

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Capital News In Brief
This Is Too Ducky!
Two ducks, answering to the unimaginative names of Ducky and Duckie, quacked and waddled all over the premises of the Eighth Precinct Police Station last night.

The feathered couple, 3 months old and big, accepted refuge at the station house on invitation of Motorcyclist Policeman Jack Prince, who helped solve a problem for diplomacy.

In front of the Connecticut avenue entrance to the Zoo, Prince yesterday encountered a puzzled couple in a car bearing diplomatic tags. Their pet ducks, they explained in broken English, had grown too big, needed a bigger home than they could offer, and they were pondering on giving the perfectly matched fowl to the Zoo.

The Zoo being closed, Prince gave Ducky and Duckie a swim in a Rock Creek stream, called for a precinct cruiser car, escorted the refugees to their abode for the night, and today will take steps for their immigration to the Zoo.

Patient Escapes
Washington police last night were on the lookout for a mental patient, of Nashville, Tenn., who escaped from a train taking him to a veterans' hospital at Little Rock, Ark.

The man, a veteran, was believed to be on his way to the Capital to seek an interview with the Japanese Ambassador here. He had revealed his plan just before breaking away, but there was no explanation for the intended interview.

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Mass. Hat Firm Fined \$1,000 on 1 Wage-Hour Charge

The first corporation ever convicted on only one charge in violation of the wage and hour law was fined \$1,000 yesterday by Judge Hugh D. McLellan of the Federal Court of Boston. The fine was exacted from the Sussex Hat Corporation of Holyoke, Mass., for failure to keep records of wages and hours of its employees. William Wolf, treasurer of the company, was fined \$500.

The case was unique in the history of the wage and hour law. Previously, firms have been convicted on several counts at the same time—such as not observing either the minimum wages or the hour specifications.

Guest of honor was ICC Chairman Joseph B. Eastman. Other guests were Commissioners Rogers and Aldridge, and W. Y. Blanning, director of the Bureau of Motor Carriers.

Maritime Body Assails Sea Film
Lodging of "informal but emphatic" and futile protests by the National Maritime Commission against a forthcoming Paramount motion-picture, "Rulers of the Sea," was disclosed by official sources yesterday.

The officials, the source said, had argued the "economic folly" of promoting the prestige of Britain's merchant marine to the detriment of the American merchant fleet.

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Lions Choose Frederick for 1940 Meeting

Harold L. Loreman, Jr., And Hugh V. Kaiser Nominated Governor

Ocean City, Md., June 26.—Delegates to the twenty-second district convention of Lions International today selected Frederick for their next year's convention and nominated two members for district governor.

Tomorrow they will elect either Harold L. Loreman, jr., of Salisbury, or Hugh V. Kaiser, of Washington, governor.

The 500-odd Lions from Maryland, Delaware and the District of Columbia were awakened this morning by blasts from a brass band as the Christians headed high school horn blowers marched through the hotel. The Christians, Del. Club sponsors of the band, brought the 40 members to the convention.

R. M. Watson, Laurel, Md., scored 49 of a possible 50 to win today's skeet shoot, and received a silver trophy. Sheldon Chandlers, Berlin, Md., was second.

The Lions took an ocean cruise this afternoon while the wives went paddle-boating.

District Gov. George M. Phipps, Wilmington, Del., was honored last night at the Governor's banquet. Karl M. Sorrick, second vice president of Lions International, Spring Port, Mich., was the speaker.

A Governor's ball on the pier ended tonight's program.

The Lions will hold their last business session tomorrow, and after electing officers will participate in a final recreational program before departing.

U. S. Army Orders \$450,000 in Planes
The Army yesterday placed a \$450,000 order for an undetermined number of "flying headquarters" planes.

A contract for two-engine personnel transports was placed with the Beech Aircraft Corp., Wichita, Kans. The craft, of commercial design, have a speed of 230 miles an hour, a range of 1,000 miles, and are intended to carry tactical commanders and their staff about the country.

At the same time, Assistant Secretary Louis Johnson awarded another contract to the Ryan Aeronautical Co., of San Diego. The \$26,275 order was for primary training planes.

Bricker-Dewey Ticket Proposed by Sloop
C. Bascom Sloop, secretary to President Coolidge, yesterday suggested a Republican ticket composed of Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, for President, and Thomas E. Dewey for Vice President. Sloop said:

"The Republicans... want someone, first, who has never been in Washington; second, who has administrative ability; and third, who has emotional appeal. Bricker and Dewey about fill the bill and they come from the right States."

Lunacy Unit Retention Is Predicted

Rep. Vreeland Agrees To Bar Committee's Plan to Relieve Gallinger Crowding

Retention of the lunacy commission as a part of legislation drafted by Representative Vreeland (Republican), of New Jersey, to modify the District's system of handling psychiatric cases was predicted last night following a conference between the Representative and members of a special committee of the District Bar Association.

The original draft of Vreeland's bill, aimed at ending congestion in the psychopathic ward at Gallinger Hospital, would have abolished the commission, established only a year ago when a "model" lunacy law for the District was adopted.

48-Hour Limit Planned
Amendments suggested to Representative Vreeland by the committee and which Vreeland indicated he would accept, would limit to 48 hours the period during which a patient may be confined in Gallinger before commitment to St. Elizabeths Hospital.

If, at the end of that period, Gallinger physicians are unable to determine the patient's sanity, the amendments would require the arresting police officer, in certain cases, to obtain a court order for his prisoner's commitment to St. Elizabeths.

Comes Up July 10
Vreeland's measure, with amendments, is expected to be considered by the House on the next District day, July 10.

Members of the special committee who conferred with Congressman Vreeland were: H. Mason Welch, chairman; Charles E. Baker, Stanley H. Fischer, Richard W. Galber, Michael J. Lane, John L. Laskey, James O'D. Moran, Arthur J. Phelan, Lawrence Koenigsberger and Austin F. Canfield.

Morris Takes Oath As Member of District Court

James W. Morris, 48-year-old native of Florida, yesterday took the oath of office as associate justice of the U. S. District Court for the District of Columbia.

He was presented by Attorney General Frank Murphy, former Attorney General Homer Cummings, Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold and Chief Justice Grover C. Whittier. Col. Charles E. Stewart, court clerk, made the presentation.

Eckerd Gets Faulkner's Post at Martinsburg
The Postoffice Department announced yesterday appointment of Martin Eckerd as acting postmaster at Martinsburg, W. Va.

Whiting C. Faulkner resigned the Martinsburg postmastership last Wednesday shortly before his indictment by a Federal grand jury here on charges of perjury growing out of a Congressional investigation of milk sales and distribution in the District.

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Charles Coburn Announces a Notable Season;
Critics Invited on Junket to Roanoke Island;
This, That and the Other About the Theater

BECAUSE IT TAKES RANK as perhaps the foremost example of the high estate that may be achieved by the "summer theater," it seems justifiable to revert—although it is remote from Washington—to the current seven-week season of the Mohawk Drama Festival, held annually on the campus of Union College, Schenectady, N. Y.

Charles Coburn, noted stage and screen actor, has returned from Hollywood and Broadway to his beloved Festival, which he helped found in 1935, and has completed his plans for the seven weeks intervening between July 11 and August 28. It is a genuinely distinguished group of players he has assembled for his forthcoming productions.

The new stars, only just announced, include Frank Craven, in his original role in Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer Prize play of "Our Town," Frank McGlynn, one of the most noted of the stage Lincolns, in his original role in John Drinkwater's "Abraham Lincoln"; Sally Eilers, as Jane Witherspoon, in George Ade's "The College Widow"; and Jean Muir, as Katharine, in Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew."

This galaxy of stage and screen "names" will join the stars already announced for the other three plays: Charles Coburn in Moliere's merry farce of courtship, "The School for Husbands"; Eugene Leontovich, of "Grand Hotel" fame, in the premiere performance of Helen Jerome's new play of the French Revolution, "Charlotte Corday"; and Cornelia Otis Skinner, as Madame Cavalini, in Edward Sheldon's colorful drama, "Romance," with Philip Huston playing opposite her.

This, I submit, is a roster of stars and a catalogue of plays that would do credit to any theater in any city in any winter season of Broadway or touring drama. It represents, as I have said, the highest level of sustained excellence to be found anywhere in the United States during the so-called heated term.

The Mohawk Drama Festival, of course, has the benefit of exceptional sponsorship and the advantage of the general directorship of one of the most able veteran actors appearing either on the boards or on the screen. But it still is "summer theater," presented in the open and otherwise departing from the conventional mold of regularly housed drama.

It is significant of the high standing this enterprise has won throughout the United States that its plays are attended by audiences that fairly represent a typical cross section of the entire country.

The ideal setting for such an exalted form of "off-season" entertainment, of course, would be Washington.

While we are on the topic of summer diversion, Sidney Jones' gay musical play, "The Gelsa," will be presented tonight in the National Sylvan Theater, on the Monument Grounds, at 8 o'clock, by the Columbia Light Opera Company, under the direction of Ethyl Manning. It will be second of the "Festival Programs" sponsored by the Community Center Department and the Office of Capitol Parks. The Sylvan Theater would seem to lend itself particularly well to the staging of "The Gelsa," with its first act setting of the Teahouse of Ten Thousand Joys, and its second of Cherry Blossom Day in the Palace Gardens.

Bess Davis Schreiner, manager of the Washington subscription seasons of the Theater Guild and American Theater Society, who recently has assumed the same duties for Baltimore, which next year also will be a subscription city, hastens to make it known how she will divide her time between the two jobs. So here it is.

Miss Schreiner will spend each Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the summer in Baltimore. The Washington Office of the National Theater will be open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, from noon until 6 p. m. Incidentally, Miss Schreiner reports that the largest subscription in the history of the dual organization is being booked for the ensuing season at the National, more than 4,000 local theatergoers already having placed their names on the dotted line.

So today we will find out precisely how explosive this "Maise" person, coming into the Capitol on Friday, really is. The picture is to be screened for the drama

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Calif., June 26.—Hedda Hopper, I mean Ann Southern's career in Hollywood has been surprising except to people who know her. She came here in musical comedy and had dark hair. When she signed a long-term contract with R. K. O., she became a blonde. When she finished, she was off the screen for a year. But made up her mind when she got another chance she'd really start a career.

So got herself that superb coach, Phyllis Laughton, who guided her through "Trade Winds" and "Maise," which surprised even Metro. Now they've given her a long-term contract, and she's on her way. But she'll never again be without the guidance of Phyllis. She even studied with her niece because Phyllis is on the set daily guiding Hedy Lamarr through "Lady of the Tropics."

When these girls vanish from the screen and reappear bigger than ever it's no accident, but good judgment and hard work. When our new cuties, who blossom and bloom in night clubs, learn that they'll be saved many headaches.

What a time they had at Twentieth Century the other day with 40 monkeys. They were in "The Rains Came," but four of them escaped. So far as I know, they're still touring.

Jim, the 3-year-old raven, was doing his stuff, too. When I asked Curley Twiford (some name for an animal trainer) to tell me some of the screen assignments he'd had, I learned that R. K. O. had sent in an order for 8,000 cockroaches. Gave him a

month to round 'em up. Every Main street dishwasher, who bottled them, got extra pay.

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They Say They Make 'Maise' Amazing Fun



ANN SOTHERN, ROBERT YOUNG AND RUTH HUSSEY

as they appear in the three principal roles in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's surprise screen comedy of "Maise," coming to Loew's Capitol Theater on Friday. This is heralded as one of those "sleeper" productions which leap into instant public favor without benefit of elaborate preliminary "ballyhoo." It has been a "smash" hit everywhere it has been shown.

Hollywood, It Seems, Imposes No Age Limits Upon Stardom

A 10-Month-Old Baby and Actor in His Sixties Prove Again That Eminence On the Screen Is Not Matter of Years

By Melrose Gower

Hollywood, June 26.—A ten-month-old baby and a man well along in his sixties have just wrecked the most popular belief about the screen.

By their sudden elevation to stardom they prove it's all wrong to say that screen success falls only to those who carry the typing brunt in glamour girls and youthful gents of handsome face and figure.

The baby is Sandra Henneville—"Sandy" to anybody who saw her all but steal Bing Crosby's "East Side of Heaven" on her screen debut. Daughter of Milkman Ray Henneville, Sandy is the youngest male impersonator in history. She plays a boy. Universal is starring her with Misha Auer in her second picture, fittingly titled "Sandy."

The elderly man is Edward Ellis. Up to the time he scored that surprise hit in RKO-Radio's "A Man to Remember," he was a free-lance character actor, one of the 25 or so who carry the typing brunt in all Hollywood films. They are nomads who go from one studio to another, makeup kit in hand. Their only homes are temporary dressing rooms on the set.

Struggle Is Over

But those days are over for Ellis. When the returns from "A Man to Remember" began coming in, RKO-Radio signed him to a starring contract, gave him a fat role in Phil Stong's "Career." He has his own dressing room now at the studio, along with Ginger Rogers, Irene Dunne, Carole Lombard, Cary Grant, Anna Neagle, Victor McLaglen and other stars.

From Sandy's success there isn't any particular conclusion to be drawn except that everybody loves a baby. Hollywood already knew that, anyhow. As a matter of fact, whenever informed there will be a baby in the cast Hollywood actors always grow a little thoughtful. Those infants are such picture-

stealers. Worse even than trained dogs. But Ellis' success is a different story. It may be customary in the business for men and women who pass middle life without getting anywhere in particular to settle down to a resigned routine. But mature film players count the years an asset, not a liability, because they bring experience.

How they put that experience to work for them is typified in Ellis' role. A veteran of the stage, whose 20-odd years ago he played Blackie Daw in "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford" on Broadway, he came here seven years ago, began playing character roles, a shrewd, kindly, graying man, he milked every part, no matter how small, hoping it would draw directorial or producer attention, win him a "break."

Gathered Skill With Age

From extra and "bit" player up to the great featured character players like May Robson and Lionel Barrymore, they all do it. Ellis went along with the rest, deriving craft from age instead of sourness. And as the old country doctor in "A Man to Remember," he brought all the craft derived from his years to present such a memorable portrayal that stardom resulted.

Now he is reaping the reward in roles tailor-made to fit his personality and talents. It's the answer to every good actor's prayer. In "Career," he plays the town merchant who manages to a sort of benefit arrangement of destiny for everybody from banker to bum. In "Three Sons," which will follow, he has a role in which he is the best ever given him.

So let little Sandy prove there is no minimum age to success in Hollywood. But to Ellis fall the weighty task of showing the world that the screen is one business in which age is no handicap, but, if intelligently used, may become an asset. He says every soldier of the screen carried a marshal's baton in his knapsack. But Hollywood veterans carry stars for the dressing room door in their makeup kits. Good enough reason, too, Edward Ellis just took his out and hung it up.

Trans-Lux

A variety of events vie for first interest in the current Trans-Lux program.

Recently the pictures of the King and Queen tour have dominated, but a short flash of the royal couple departing at Halifax for home is their only contribution to the running issue. A stirring shot, however, of the Duke of Gloucester

Songstress

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Garbo Must Fly For First Time

Garbo flies. The Swedish star will join the ranks of Myrna Loy and other heroines who have braved airplane adventure when she starts work in her newest picture, "Ninotchka." One of her important scenes calls for her to enter a plane which actually takes off with her in it. It is the first time she will have entered a plane, much less taken off, in a picture.

When Boris Karloff was working on the Warner lot he spent many leisure hours with Claude Rains working out weird make-up.

Tom Taylor Melodrama at The Roadside

'Still Waters Run Deep' Offers Limited Outlet For Cheers and Boos

Palates whetted for hissing and cheering, last evening's first-nighters at the Roadside Theater got their best work-out at the half-way point of Tom Taylor's "Still Waters Run Deep," when, as a hale Lancashire lad, the hero of the piece pronounced the deep-dyed villain.

More pallid than the general run of the Rockville pike reveries, this drama by the author of "Our American Cousin" is a generally quiet play about a mild-mannered fellow named, aptly enough, John Midway. His is in much the same predicament as Noel Coward's henpecked husband in "Fanny Hill." His wife thinks him a sap and her family treats him as such. But in his Brompton villa of the 1850's the lot of them are being duped by a glib, deceitful and, instead of leaving his peace fast the way Mr. Coward's hero did, John Midway instead, aiding his family while he was about it.

Skeleton in Closet

Like all true Roadside villains, this one has a skeleton closet that does not bear much unloading. And, having trifled with an aging lady's affections, besides toying with a bored wife's marriage vows, the sleek Capt. Hawley is just about to get his claws on their money when the worm of a husband finally turns and brings the play's climax and the audience's cheers.

The setting for this climactic scene, at Cairo, Egypt, is certainly one of the high spots of the evening. It represents the apartments of the dark Captain Hawley, who has lived, we hasten to add, in Seville, and he is depicted as a dashing taste in art. Mr. Perry's settings have some wall pictures that stopped last evening's scene two of the second act before it had even begun. And with a tasseled fez and a striped dressing gown that is a caricature of the one Helen Hayes' Prince Consort sported in "Victoria Regina," he picks up the scene. Captain Hawley glided the lily-white common to the superficial drama of the 1850's, the play finally brings virtue its reward.

Cast Is Well Chosen

As the gentle John Midway, George Fennington turned in a neat performance, velling his surprising turning with a quietly biting relish. Anne Ives was the dramatic aunt, who thought her physical charms were the captain's goal and not her real estate. Lansing Hall, always an effective heroine, contributed an effective scene, and a memorable shaving scene. Charles E. Coker, a new face to Roadside, proved himself exceptionally expert at enunciation and we, who were pickled up rather than sobered, were pleased to see Macubbin Waters was acceptable as the elderly uncle and James W. Schell, Sherman Lee, Larry Lawrence, Ephraim Jacob, Florence Knoll and Helen Harris completed Director Ralph Fowler's cast.

RICHARD L. COE

Film Table

Earle—"Naughty But Nice," at 10:15, 1:30, 4:45 and 8:30 p. m. Stage shows at 12:10, 3:05, 6:05 and 9 p. m.

Loew's Capitol—"Susannah of the Mounties," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:30, 3:35, 6:30 and 9:35 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Sun Never Sets," at 12, 2:25, 4:50, 7:10 and 9:35 p. m.

Palace—"Invitation to a Happiness," at 12:10, 2:30, 4:55, 7:15 and 9:35 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Blind Alley," at 11:30 a. m., 1:25, 3:30, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Rose of Washington Square," at 11:15 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Loew's—"The Great Waltz," at 11:30 a. m., 1:50, 4:05, 6:15 and 8:30 p. m.

Trans-Lux—"Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Mount Vernon (Auto Theater)—"Hoosier School Boy," at 8:45 and 10:45 p. m.

Tivoli—"The Hardy Ride High," at 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Uptown—"Confessions of a Nazi Spy," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Calvert—"The Hardy Ride High," at 1:25, 4:25, 6:10, 8:10 and 9:50 p. m.

Louella O. Parsons

Close-Ups and Long-Shots
Of the Motion Picture Scene

Hollywood, June 26 (UPI).—Have you, as an outsider, wondered how stars are born? If you haven't you are unusual, for about 75 per cent of our mail comes from boys and girls who ask questions on how the Hollywood favorites first were able to crash the magic gates. Well, Darryl Zanuck is going to answer these questions in a movie he is calling "Public Relations." He will take three youngsters and show how they were found, show the build-up of publicity, the training and all the incidents that go into the making of a movie actress.

Chosen for concrete examples are Mary Astor, Brenda Joyce and Linda Darnell, who were unknown and had no previous experience until they joined Twentieth Century-Fox. These girls, Mr. Zanuck feels, make perfect illustrations. In fact, the story of "Public Relations" parallels their own lives.

I was reminded of Gertrude Atherton's oldie read "Black Ozen," when I heard yesterday that Paramount had bought the highly successful London stage play, "The Man in Half Moon Street." However, the Barry Lyndon play is in reverse, for it's the story of a man 50 years old who, by resorting to science, only looks 25. Melvyn Douglas, who owes Paramount a picture, was sought to play the hero whose adventures are so interesting that several other American film companies bid for the movie rights.

Inevitable that Artie Shaw, the jitterbug favorite, and Judy Garland, too, should accept a movie job. He has had dozens of offers and then, too, his colleagues, Benny Goodman, Gene Krupa, Rudy Vallee, Phil Harris and others, have reaped the harvest of their popularity in fat film salaries. So why not Artie? The band leader, who, you remember, was so very ill a few weeks ago, has chosen Edgar Selwyn's offer from the many, and will check in at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studio July 12 to wave that magic baton and play his famed clarinet in "The Dancing Coed."

Serious doubts were expressed by Hollywood that she actually was being considered for "Ziegfeld Girl." "I shouldn't play an American girl," she told me. "I couldn't do it any more than an American girl could play a contessa." The first time in my life I've ever heard a foreign actress that frank and sensible, but Hedy might like to know that "Ziegfeld Girl" permits her accent, and she will be seen with Lana Turner as the other glamour chorus. Margaret Sullivan has the dramatic role and Mack Gordon and Harry Warren are writing the music.

The one-time broker playboy and popular socialite, Larry Fox, has rolled up his sleeves and gone to work in earnest, lining up plays for General Films, which he represents. Interested indeed is Larry's purchase of the film rights to Marquis James' books on Andrew Jackson, "The Border Captain" and "Portrait of a President." Large movie interest are backing Fox's enterprises, which should be launched soon. James has been offered a good sum to adapt his Pulitzer prize winning volumes for the screen, if he can take time off from the du Pont biography which he is now preparing publication.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random: Madeleine Carroll and David Niven, a brand new couple, dining at the Troc; Errol Flynn reported well enough to watch the tennis matches at the West Side Tennis Club; where did Frank Morgan get that Cairo, Egypt, license for his part in "The Sign of the Cross"? Lawrence Tibbett, a guest of Nelson Eddy on the "Balalaika" set; Bobby Mullineaux and Linn Howard, best bet for definitely ancient history now and his current romantic interests are Judith Barrett and Rita Johnson; Bob Burns installed Marion Marshall, Chastworth's new mayor, with Edgar Bergen giving him first-hand advice; June Lang was a guest and other Hollywood's stars spent Saturday afternoon at the Brandeis ranch, remaining for a barbecue supper; Eddie Albert and Helen Wood glimpsed at the Publick, an interesting new two-story; Nedda Harrigan (Mrs. Walter Connolly) has gone into partnership with A. W. Tillinghast, antique collector, but will continue her movie career.

The new Laughton reached town today, with a clean bill of health from the Federal revenue agents. He reported at once for "Hunchback of Notre Dame" make-up tests; Ann McClellan having finished his Princeton entrance exams, persuaded Vic to let him go to Colorado to recuperate; the Paul Muni have moved back to their Palace

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

That .341 batting average you might have noticed in the small type that records the league's leading hitters belongs to John Kelly Lewis, who is supposed to be having an off-year in the majors. But at this writing the only ones who are outperforming him are Jimmy Fox, of the Red Sox, and George McQuinn.

The chances are that Bucky Harris will be content to struggle along with a third baseman who is nudging the ball for a .341 average no matter how frequent his errors in the field may be. No ball player in the recent history of the Washington club has been subject to the same fan-abuse as the young third baseman, who was averaging two errors a day for a considerable spell, but he seems to be doing nicely at this writing.

Buddy Lewis apparently has taken some sort of a grip on himself, because the Nats' last ten games have seen him perpetrate only three misplays at third base. And he has been coming up with the hard chances that once upon a time set him apart from all other third basemen. And with that batting average he is totting, Lewis is now an important figure with the Nats.

This much always could be said for the young Carolinian: He never did let his fielding lapses affect his work at the plate, as it is prone to do with other ball players. He'd come in off the field with the mark of a boot still fresh on his glove and dig in at bat with his classic stroke and get more than his share of hits. It wasn't any accident that he was promoted to third place in the batting order. He proved himself the best clouter on the club.

Fielding Decline a Mystery

As far as Washington fans are concerned, Lewis' decline as a third baseman on the defense will always remain a mystery. When he came up to the Nats four seasons ago, he was on the brilliant side defensively, winning over the die-hard who had been spoiled by the incomparable third basing of Ossie Bluege. Lewis stepped into the spot of a master and won the affections of the skeptics.

When Lewis was making his two errors a day a while back, Bucky Harris was moved to remark that he was completely baffled: "This is the first time I've ever seen a young ball player slip as a fielder," said Harris. "The natural thing is for him to improve, but Lewis has actually gone back. This situation is beyond me. I'd have bet, three years ago, that by this time Lewis would be one of the great third basemen of baseball."

Flu May Still Be Felt

But Hank Greenberg, discussing the Lewis case the other day, had an explanation for the lad's collapse as a fielder. "Nobody can make me believe that Lewis is physically fit," said Greenberg. "I can tell by the way he comes down to first base on an infield hit. He used to fly down that line last year and the year before that. We always had to hustle to get him out on any kind of a ground ball. But this year it's been a cinch. He hasn't been getting up more than a jog."

"He's still pale and drawn, and I think that influenza attack he had in the South is still with him in some degree. Skinny as he is, I always marvel at the power he gets into at an infield hit. On the Tigers, we've always figured Lewis to be the most dangerous hitter on the Washington club, during the past two years."

"We always knew him as a fancy fielder, too, before he went into his slump last year. I can tell you one thing, though: One error leads to another. Making a miff makes anybody jittery, and the next play always looks tougher. And when a fellow isn't fit, physically, it's that much more tragic. I never saw a guy who apparently needed a rest more than Lewis."

All Other Lefties Benched

Bucky Harris has toyed with the idea of giving Lewis a vacation from his third-base duties, especially in view of the availability of Cecil Travis, but Harris dislikes to part with Lewis' power at the plate even for a brief spell. It is significant that yesterday, when the Nats faced Lefty Grove, Harris benched every other left-handed hitter on the club with the exception of Lewis.

Were he fielding as capably as he did in 1935, as a rookie in his first full season with the Nats, Lewis would be a stand-out choice for the American League's all-star team this season. He is outperforming every third baseman in the league by a wide margin, with Ken Keltner, of the Indians, his nearest rival. Manager Joe McCarthy selected Lewis as the American League's third baseman last season at Cincinnati, preferring him over his own Red Rolfe. Lewis made no hits against the National League pitcher, but the nearest clout of the all-star buster—a terrific drive to the fapole in right-centerfield that provoked a fancy catch by Ducky Medwick—was off Lewis' bat.

On the Line

With CONSIDINE

New York, June 26.—Please don't spread this around, but most of the girlish shudders of excitement which will sweep through Yankee Stadium Wednesday night, at that breathless moment when the champ and challenger strain at their invisible leashes, waiting for the opening bell, will generate within the four or five rows of the cynic-ridden press box.

There, hunched over typewriters, will sit the sports writers who have unanimously pronounced the fight a blight. They have pictured Galento, faithfully enough, as an uncouth rough-stuff brawler who has been beaten 22 times, technically knocked out three and twice a loser on fouls. They have looked at Louis, at the man's fearsome record, and called him a great champion.

Except for a few chronic daredevils, who can always laugh it off in the next day's paper, every inmate of the press section has staked what we call our reputation on a quick knockout. Those who have predicted that Galento will last four rounds are the incurable Tories of the profession. My own conservative view is that the fight will end in 6:11 of the first round.

But though the lot of us have written millions of words to the general effect that Galento is an unparagoned bum who has no more right in the same ring with Louis than a waiter has the right to "break" Brenda Frazier in the middle of a rhumba, any harpist would be able to play the complete score of the opera "Faust" on the taut nerves of the reporters—the same boys who have expressed themselves as bored with the match and certain of its outcome.

Scribes Are the Greatest Fans

For all the cynicism in modern sports writing the fact remains that the greatest fans in the country are the sports writers. If they weren't they'd get the hell out of there and go to work. They have a sane side, and it usually rears its head when they sit down to transmit some deathless message to the public. But fundamentally they are superfans. The sight of Galento, just at the moment when a clamoring bell is giving him the opportunity to make a million with one crushing punch to Louis' jaw, will make the stomach of the sourest cynic in the press box give off a sudden lurch that leaves him weak. Their breaths will be hard to regulate and their typing fingers will feel curiously limp. Half of them will try to hit too many keys at the same time, and hopelessly jam their machines. Cigarettes will hang from open mouths and the men whose difficult job it is to dictate a blow-by-blow description to the telegraph operator next to them will find their voices pitched high and dry.

These, then, are the same fun-loving boys who—in keeping faith with their vague and distant public—have indirectly urged customers to stay away from the very fight that is giving them the terrific thrill. Some will shake their heads and their balance after a few punches. Some will revive with the fever of suspense, throughout the duration of the fight, and then settle down to the cold, flabby, sobering task of writing a sensible version of the scrap. Some may not wait for the chrysalis which converts them from Gus Fawcett to normalcy, as must have been the case when, after watching a fight between two excruciating bums like Primo Carnera and Max Baer, Paul Gallico started off his story with "Heard, for God's sake stop pounding and let me write this piece!"

Won't Miss That One Priceless Moment

This is a strange and never-falling tenseness that comes over men who have been trained to be impartial. And it comes from the spectacle in front of them, not from fears that they'll be unable to write a good account of what happened. They don't think much about that, except perhaps to worry a little if they've had too many cocktails beforehand. That's just a genuine thrill, pure and simple, completely akin to the thrill being experienced by the yelping partisan fan in the bleachers. Perhaps when it is over, and they are back to normal, the writers will know, and write, that the thing was a dreadful stinkeroo, and that the fans should move en masse on the bucks office. But even if this comes about, even if the fight is a worse contest than the dreary debacle they have predicted, they'll not miss at least that one priceless moment when their gizzards are turning cartwheels, as the two principals stare moodily through the cigarette fog. That's why Mike Jacobs has had requests for typewriter space from 400 writing newspapermen—all of whom have at one time or another written that he is deluding the public by billing this atrocity as a fight.

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Lefty Grove Checks Nats as Red Sox Win, 3-0

Embarrassing Moment for a Boston Red Sox at Home Plate—He's Out

Rick Ferrell, Nationals' catcher, had to wallow in the dust to put out Boston's Second Baseman Carey (14), who attempted to score from third yesterday in the sixth inning of the Nats-Red Sox game at Griffith Stadium. Cramer's sacrifice fly to centerfield was nullified when George Case took it on the run and made a beautiful throw for a double play.



Associated Press Wirephoto.

Athletics Turn Back Yanks Under Lights, 3-2

Eric Tipton's Sacrifice Fly in Eighth With One Out and Bases Loaded Wins Game Before 33,074 Spectators

By the Associated Press.

Philadelphia, June 26.—A long sacrifice fly by Eric "Red" Tipton, rookie outfielder from Duke University, with one out and the bases full in the eighth inning, gave the Athletics a 3-to-2 victory over the New York Yankees before 33,074 at Shibe Park tonight.

Tipton came through after Bump Hadley had purposely walked Sam Chapman to load the bases. The fly climaxed a pitcher's battle between Hadley and Henry Pippin and gave the Athletics their first win of the season over the Yankees. It was the first night game ever played by the Yankees.

Dee Miles started the eighth by bouncing a single off Frankie Crosetti's glove at shortstop. Bob Johnson walked. Frankie Hayes sacrificed and Chapman was given the pass that set the stage for Tipton's long drive to Joe DiMaggio that scored Miles.

With the crowd, Philadelphia's largest of the season, cheering him on, Pippin set the Yankees down in order in the ninth to win his first game of the season against five defeats. Both Pippin and Hadley were in good form, each yielding only four hits, but seven bases on balls and his own wild throw cost Hadley the game.

Tipton also drove in the A's first run in the second inning with an another sacrifice fly to Tom Henrich that scored Johnson. The A's run that tied the score at 2-2 came in the seventh as Dario Lodigiani hit into a double play with Joe Gantenbein on third. Gantenbein had singled and reached third on Hadley's wild throw of Pippin's punt.

Bill Dickey's double and Joe Gordon's single gave the Yankees a run.

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The Majors

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	46	13	.778	—
Boston	32	23	.582	12
Detroit	33	29	.532	14 1/2
Cleveland	32	29	.525	15
Chicago	29	32	.478	18
Philadelphia	25	35	.417	21 1/2
WASHINGTON	24	39	.381	24
St. Louis	17	42	.288	29

Yesterday's Results

Boston, 3; WASHINGTON, 0.
Detroit, 11; Cleveland, 2.
Philadelphia, 3; New York, 2.
(Only games scheduled.)

Games Today

Boston at Washington—Anker (5-3) vs. Kelley (2-1).
St. Louis at Chicago—Whitehead (0-3) vs. Lyons (7-1).
Detroit at Cleveland—Newsom (4-3) vs. Feller (11-3).
(Only games scheduled.)

Games Tomorrow

Boston at WASHINGTON.
New York at Philadelphia (3).
St. Louis at Chicago.
(Only games scheduled.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Cincinnati	32	23	.582	—
St. Louis	32	23	.582	—
New York	33	27	.550	4 1/2
Chicago	32	29	.525	6
Brooklyn	28	29	.491	8
Pittsburgh	27	30	.474	9
Boston	24	34	.414	12 1/2
Philadelphia	19	36	.345	16

Yesterday's Results

No games scheduled.

Games Today

Chicago at St. Louis—Whitehill (4-2) vs. Warneke (6-3).
Brooklyn at Boston—Hamlin (6-6) vs. Fette (8-3) or Sheffer (6-4).
Philadelphia at New York—Butcher (2-9) vs. Melton (4-6).
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati—Dawson (3-6) vs. Grissom (6-3).

Games Tomorrow

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
Chicago at St. Louis.

Parker Wins Clay Courts Tennis Title

Defeats Mulloy by 6-3, 6-0, 5-7, 6-1 In Chicago Tourney

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, June 26.—Frank Parker of Pasadena, Calif., won the national clay courts singles tennis championship today by defeating Gardner Mulloy of Miami, Fla., 6-3, 6-0, 5-7, 6-1.

Parker, in winning his second clay courts title, was in command through practically the whole match, the only close fight coming in the third set. Parker was leading five games to one when Mulloy rallied to win six straight games. Parker then steadied to easily end the battle.

Parker first won the clay courts singles crown in 1933 and previous to this tournament had won sectional championships this season in California, Kansas City and St. Louis. The victory measurably strengthened the chances of the 23-year-old star for a berth on the Davis cup squad.

Taking only a half hour rest, Parker teamed with Gene Mako of Los Angeles to win the doubles title. They defeated Wayne Sabnis of Portland, Oreg., and Johnny Doeg, Newark, N. J., 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

What if Galento Is Knocked Out Of Ring, Yussel?

Summit, N. J., June 26 (U.P.)—Tony Galento's manager, Joe Jacobs, announced today that he will have ring-side reporters specifically instructed to "let Joe Louis lay where he falls" when Galento knocks him out of the ring Wednesday night.

While Challenger Tony contented himself with light limbering exercises and road work, Manager Joe explained that he would ask the boxing commission to order first-ring newspapermen "to let Louis roll when he comes flying out of the ring."

He said, "I don't want the sports writers to pick Louis up and shove him back into the ring, like they did to Dempsey that time when Firpo knocked Jack into the press section—or like they did for Ettore when Galento knocked him out of the ring two years ago."

(Editor's Query: Can sports writers pitch Galento back?)

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Harness Racing, 'Greatest Sport,' Keeps D.C. Man Young and Happy

William E. Miller, Businessman, Races Own Stable

By Al Hailey

A new diversion for tired business men who want to stay young—harness racing—was put forward yesterday by a Washington businessman who, took up the sport 23 years ago and today apparently is the Capital's lone harness horseman.

Conducting a one-man cheering section for trotting races yesterday, William E. Miller, who owns and drives his own stable of pacers, said that harness racing is "the greatest sport there is."

Miller, owner of a Washington furniture store, yearly drops his business pursuits to campaign his stable of trotters over the Pennsylvania and other circuits.

"Running races are strictly a business and a gambling proposition," Miller asserted. "Harness racing is the greatest sport there is—mainly because it is run on a clean basis and is free of the racketeering influences usually found around the running tracks."

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Public Favors Louis 20-1 in Gallup Poll

Survey Shows 95% Picking Champion to Win Tomorrow Night's Fight; Galento, However, Has Plenty of Well-Wishers

Editor's note—The American Institute of Public Opinion (Gallup Poll) which conducts scientific surveys of opinion on social and political issues, today turns its attention to the field of sports to sound public sentiment on the Louis-Galento fight. The following story summarizes its findings.

New York, June 26.—The news that Joe Louis is going to fight Tony Galento in the Yankee Stadium Wednesday night has percolated into just about every Middlesex, village and town in the country, and a surprising number of the general public are choosing sides and making their guesses about the outcome.

On the question of who will win, the public is on Joe Louis' side by about 20 to 1—not far from what the actual betting odds have been. But on the matter of who they'd like to see win the interested public are divided almost 50-50.

The figures come from a nationwide poll conducted by the American Institute of Public Opinion, using the same techniques which the Institute applies to election polls and surveys on political and social questions.

The Institute put the following two questions to a cross-section of men and women in all parts of the country.

"Which man would you like to see win—Joe Louis or Tony Galento?"

Which man do you think will win?

The answers to those with opinions about it are:

Like to see Louis win 53%
Think Galento will win 47%
Think Galento will win 5%

There has never been a similar test of national interest in a major prize-fight. It would be valuable to know how many people follow the build-up for the Dempsey-Tunney fights for instance.

But the present survey shows that two persons in every three are taking sides in Wednesday's match, and an even larger proportion are willing to make a guess about the outcome.

As might be expected, men are more often interested than women, but the Institute's investigators found more than half the latter are taking sides too. A slight majority of the women, as a matter of fact, say they want "What a man" Tony to win.

There was no difference between men and women on the question of who was expected to win.

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Allows Seven Hits; Haynes Is Beaten

Only 3 Washington Players Reach 2d; Ted Williams Hero Of Boston Victory

By Shirley Povich.

Gray-haired, 39-year-old Robert Moses Grove summoned the vanishing traces of his fast ball, mixed them with his pitching guile and draped a string of zeros around the collective necks of the Nats yesterday. The old, left-hander ushered the Red Sox to a 3-0 victory over the Washington club.

His aging but seemingly ageless pitching arm fortified by a full week's rest, Grove hoodwinked the Nats with his curve ball and blew them down with his fast one. He surrendered seven hits, but he didn't permit a major beyond second base in the last eight innings and only three Nats advanced that far. He struck five of 'em out, and it wasn't until the seventh inning that a Boston outfielder was credited with a putout.

And when Grove wasn't harassing the Nats, Ted Williams was. The elongated rookie with a weakness for base hits, was annoying Joe Haynes and Walter Masterson all afternoon. He rapped one pitch against the rightfield wall for a triple, another against the same wall for a double, and found time also to collect a pair of singles in four times at bat.

Haynes Is Victim

Williams drove in two of the Red Sox runs, and he had a hand, too, in the third one. In the last three innings, against the relief pitching of Masterson, the Red Sox made only one hit. Williams made it.

The Sox didn't dally long with Joe Haynes, rapping out five of their eight hits in the first three innings and scoring all of the runs of the ball game.

Haynes put the winning run on base back in the second inning when he walked Joe Cronin, and then singled to right. Bozie Berger, going to bat for the first time this season, then doubled off the right field wall and moved Cronin home. Haynes, however, escaped further damage admirably by striking out DeSauteles and Grove and forcing Carey to fly out.

But Haynes didn't escape the next inning until the Red Sox had shoved across two more runs. With one out Vosmik singled to left and took second when Estalella muffed the ball, and Haynes then walked Fox. He appeared over the big hurdle when Cronin fouled out to Bloodworth, but along came Wil-

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3 D. C. Juniors in Semifinals

Brinkerhoff, Richardson, Cowan Win

Bensinger Remains District's Hope for Boys Championship In Annual Tourney

Washington took definite steps toward winning both Middle Atlantic tennis championships at Edgemoor yesterday when three of its junior representatives and one of its boys gained the semifinal round.

Harry Brinkerhoff, District junior champion; Eddie Richardson, runner-up in the Junior Davis Cup tournament; and Maurice Cowan, St. Albans star, are the junior survivors, while Robert Bensinger, defending champion, is the city's hope for the boys' title.

Semifinals of both divisions will be played at 11 o'clock this morning, with the finals at 3:30.

D. C.'s Best Hope

Although Washington has three chances to win the junior crown, its best hope for a title is little Bensinger, for, due to the luck of the draw, Brinkerhoff and Richardson are semifinal foes. In the other semifinal junior match Cowan meets Vincent J. Thomas, of Norfolk, who was so impressive in his first and second round appearances that observers labeled him the man to beat.

Of all the survivors Bensinger had the easiest job yesterday as all first and second-round matches were completed. He drew a first-round bye and then, showing excellent form, blanketed Baltimore's Kenneth Volk, 6-0, 6-0.

Brinkerhoff was all but eliminated in the second round after impressively defeating the Richmond champion, Charles Kranitzky, in his debut. Griffith, one of Baltimore's better players, took the first set, 10-8, and had a match point in the second set before Brinkerhoff rallied to win it, 7-3, and square the match. The local boy proved his mettle in the deciding set by another hard-fought victory, 10-3.

Dave Kay Beaten

Dave Kay, runner-up to Brinkerhoff for the District junior title, was defeated in the first round by the smooth-stroking Thomas, 6-1, 6-1. Kay was powerless to combat the invader's well-rounded game and suffered his worst beating of the season.

Starting Lee, Bensinger's running mate in the boys' section, drew a first-round bye, but dropped out in the second round, losing to Hal Burrows, Richmond boys' champion.

Semifinal matches of the boys' tournament pit Bensinger against John Hayman, champion of Huntington, W. Va., and Howson Cole, Norfolk, against Hal Burrows, Richmond. Cole and Burrows are champions of their respective cities.

Boys' Results

First round—Kenneth Volk (Baltimore) drew bye; Robert Bensinger (Washington) defeated Billy Jones (Norfolk), 6-2, 6-2; John Hayman (Huntington) defeated Pete Frano (Washington), 6-1, 6-1; Stanley Band (Baltimore) defeated Clifford Fox (Lynchburg), 6-1, 6-1; Ned Chapman (Baltimore) defeated Charles Schell (Lynchburg), 6-2, 6-1; Howson Cole (Norfolk) defeated Bryn Ballou (Richmond), 6-2, 6-1; Hal Burrows (Richmond) defeated Garrett (Huntington), 6-0, 6-0; Burrows Lee (Washington) drew bye.

Second round—Bensinger defeated Volk, 6-0, 6-0; Hayman defeated Bond, 6-2, 6-2; Cole defeated Chapman, 7-5, 6-2; Burrows defeated Lee, 6-2, 6-2.

Today's Pairings

Semifinal round—11 a. m. Bensinger vs. Hayman; Cole vs. Burrows.

Final round—3:30 p. m. Winner Bensinger-Smith vs. winner Cole-Burrows.

Junior Results

First round—Bill Dunham (Parkersburg) drew bye; Eddie Richardson (Washington) defeated Richard B. Boindie (Norfolk), 6-0, 6-0; Harry Brinkerhoff (Washington) defeated Charles Kranitzky (Richmond), 6-1, 6-1; Griffith (Baltimore) defeated Frank Caden (Baltimore), 6-4, 6-1; Hobbes (Baltimore) defeated Sam Rube (Lynchburg), 6-0, 6-1; Vincent J. Thomas (Norfolk) defeated Dave Kay (Washington), 6-1, 6-1; Maurice Cowan (Washington) drew bye; Walter Kelly (Lynchburg) drew bye.

Second round—Richardson defeated Dunham, 6-1, 6-1; Brinkerhoff defeated Griffith, 8-10, 7-5, 10-8; Thomas defeated Hobbes, 6-4, 6-2; Cowan defeated Kelly, 6-1, 6-0.

Today's Pairings

Semifinal round—11 a. m. Richardson vs. Brinkerhoff; Thomas vs. Cowan.

Final round—3:30 p. m. Winner of Richardson-Brinkerhoff vs. winner of Thomas-Cowan.

Victor and Vanquished in Women's Net Play



Upsets Mark Army and Navy Net Tourney

Capt. Robinson Is Beaten in Opening Round of Play

Capt. Stanley K. Robinson, who made a hurried flight from Alabama to be on hand for the All-Army-Navy Country Club tennis championships, was the victim of a major upset yesterday as most of the first-round matches were played.

The third-seeded Robinson fell in straight sets before Julius Evans, member of the West Point team, 6-1, 6-3. In another form reversal fourth-seeded H. E. Brooks lost to Lieut. D. F. Bell, 6-2, 6-2.

Meanwhile the defending champion, C. C. Russell, now stationed in Texas and who also flew here for the tournament, scored an impressive 6-1, 6-1 victory over C. Johnson. The second-seeded Richardson, star of the West Point team, did not play, his match being one of seven that were held over until today.

Preliminary round—E. F. Tyler defeated P. J. Dunn, 6-2, 6-1.

First round—Julius Evans defeated Stanley K. Robinson, 6-1, 6-3; E. C. Russell defeated C. Johnson, 6-1, 6-1; A. P. Frazier defeated T. Slaviansky, 6-1, 6-3; P. K. Morrell defeated R. E. Williams, 6-2, 6-2; H. B. Thatcher defeated E. H. Baguio, 6-2, 6-0; W. J. Beyer defeated J. A. Butler, 6-4, 6-3; D. F. Bell defeated H. E. Brooks, 6-2, 6-2; R. Reynolds defeated E. De Ornela, 6-1, 6-3; A. Alan defeated W. F. Wouldridge, 6-2, 6-0.

Mary Gentry (lower) became one of the first winners in the annual District women's tennis tournament at Columbia Country Club yesterday when she defeated her doubles partner, Helen Davis, in a first-round match, 6-3, 6-4.

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liams with a fierce three-base drive into the right field corner and the Red Sox had a 3-0 lead and the ball game.

Thereafter Haynes was an improved pitcher. He escaped harm in the sixth inning after Carey tripled with one out, because Case cut Carey down at the plate when he attempted to score on Cramer's short fly. And Masterson, who took up the pitching in the seventh, turned the Red Sox back scoreless in the eighth despite a single by Williams that led off the inning and Ferrell's error on Berger's bunt that followed.

Jimmy Bloodworth helped Masterson out of that situation by a brilliant play on Carey's hot drive over second base, and in the ninth George Case cheated Foxx of at least a triple by truckin' far toward the right center fence to haul down his long drive.

It was in the first inning that the Nats muffed their best scoring chance. Case led off with a safe bunt and with one out Lewis singled to center to move a runner to third, but he languished there while Galt and Estrella fouled out weakly. Thereafter, the Nats made a hit every so often, but if some kindly scorer had given the Nats credit for a run every time they reached second base, they would have had only a tie.

Table Tennis Official Dies in Auto Crash

Norristown, Pa., June 26 (AP)—Joseph D. Berna, 21, general secretary of the United States Table Tennis Association, was killed when his automobile crashed against a pole and turned over three times yesterday.

D. C. Women's Favorites Win First Matches

All Advance Without Trouble in Tourney At Columbia Club

Favorites advanced without trouble yesterday as the District Women's Tennis Tournament opened at Columbia Country Club with preliminary and first-round matches.

Willie O'Steen, top-seeded singles player, did not see action yesterday, getting a preliminary round default from Reble Ford.

Second-seeded Anne Ellis defeated Mary Louise Shivers, 6-0, 6-0; third-seeded Margie Lee turned back Kathleen Klotz, 6-0, 6-2, and Anne Dayette, of Baltimore, seeded fourth, won by default from Polly Thompson.

The two closest matches of the day took place in the preliminaries as Lisa Bloede outlasted Eleanor Volth, 10-8, 6-1, 7-5, and Gertrude Smith defeated Barbara Conard, 2-6, 6-3, 6-6.

Both Miss O'Steen and Miss Dayette are scheduled for double duty today. Miss O'Steen is to meet Lisa Bloede in a first-round match and, if she survives, Marian Pritchard in the second round. Miss Dayette's first-round opponent will be Gertrude Smith and her potential second-round foe, Charlotte Decker.

An upset is not unlikely here, for Miss Decker is a former local playgrounds champion.

Draw for the doubles will be made today, and for the mixed doubles Wednesday.

Preliminary round—Willie O'Steen defeated Reble Ford by default; Lisa Bloede defeated Eleanor Volth, 10-8, 6-1, 7-5; Gertrude Smith defeated Barbara Conard, 2-6, 6-3, 6-6; Anne Dayette defeated Polly Thompson by default.

First round—Mary Pritchard defeated Kay Baker, 6-0, 6-0; Bonnie Mason Throckmorton defeated Marjorie Dawson, 6-0, 6-0; Margie Lee defeated Kathleen Klotz, 6-0, 6-2; Anne Ellis defeated Mary Louise Shivers, 6-0, 6-0; Elizabeth Sowers defeated Doris Miller, 6-2, 6-2; Mary Gentry defeated Helen Davis, 6-3, 6-4; Frances Carter defeated Katherine Wasmann, 6-0, 6-1; Margie Lee defeated Kathleen Klotz, 6-0, 6-2; Anne Ellis defeated Mary Louise Shivers, 6-0, 6-0; Elizabeth Sowers defeated Doris Miller, 6-2, 6-2; Mary Gentry defeated Helen Davis, 6-3, 6-4; Frances Carter defeated Katherine Wasmann, 6-0, 6-1; Margie Lee defeated Kathleen Klotz, 6-0, 6-2; Anne Ellis defeated Mary Louise Shivers, 6-0, 6-0; Elizabeth Sowers defeated Doris Miller, 6-2, 6-2; Mary Gentry defeated Helen Davis, 6-3, 6-4; Frances Carter defeated Katherine Wasmann, 6-0, 6-1.

Today's Pairings

First round—Gertrude Smith vs. Anne Dayette; 3 p. m. Willie O'Steen vs. Lisa Bloede.

Second round—Bonnie Mason Throckmorton vs. Margaret Graham; Anne Ellis vs. Elizabeth Sowers; Mary Gentry vs. Mary Gentry; 3 p. m. Frances Carter vs. Margie Lee; 4:30 p. m. Marian Pritchard vs. winner O'Steen-Smith; Helen Kishino vs. Marian Cunningham; Charlotte Decker vs. Elizabeth Sowers.

CONSOLATIONS

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It's Free Drinks If Two-Ton Beats Louis Tomorrow

Newark, N. J., June 26 (AP)—A Newark barkeep who wants to pass out free drinks if Tony Galento knocks out Joe Louis Wednesday night has the okay of D. Frederick Burnett, State alcoholic beverage commissioner—plus this warning:

"I trust you will lose your shirt! However, if Tony wins, you may be as liberal with the lager as you please, but if the Brown Bomber dines on spaghetti that night, you might as well draw the curtains on your morgue early."

Harness Racing Keeps One Young

Miller, from Page 15.

last fall at Reading, Pa. Peter Astor is the second horse, favorite to win the \$40,000 stake to be raced August 9 at Goshen, N. Y.

The 3-year-old won three straight heats Friday at Hanover, Pa., capturing the purse of \$400, Miller said. The trotting race, under the rules of the United States Trotting Association, is run in three heats the race going to the horse which wins two or all of the heats. For 3-year-olds and up the heat is a mile. Colts run a two-heat race.

Miller breeds, trains and often shoes his own horses, and he confesses that while he likes to win he doesn't care if he loses as long as his horses go an honest race. Probably his greatest delight on the tracks is being out a veteran reinsman, Bill Bull, of Melba, Va., with whom he has had a long friendly rivalry and verbal feud.

"Training a trotting horse is an art," Miller explained. "A trotter uses all four feet in a perfect stroke, which depends on perfect balance."

Training a horse to trot and not to break into his natural rolling gallop depends to a large extent on the protection of the horse's feet. Miller said. Different weighted shoes and boots are used to protect the colt from tumbling over his own hooves.

Miller took up driving trotters at the Brightwood track, which was located above the Sixteenth street reservoir grounds.

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Anything Can Happen in Fight

Fight, from Page 15.

whipped Jack Dempsey, also regarded as invincible, and that Fireman Jim Flynn, a short, stocky citizen—which is also Galento's general description—actually flattened the great Manassa Mauler.

This may have been the last of the dark by the chronic long-shot players, but not to Joe Jacobs, Tony's master-minding manager, who, incidentally, also plotted Schmeling to his kayo conquest of Louis.

"Look!" he shouted, taking a fighting pose. "Louis shuffles in at you like this. Then he shoots a straight left. Then he feints you to

open you for his right-hand shot." "Not me," said his listener. "I know better than to get in the ring with him."

"Yeah, I know. But here's the tip-off. As he feints, he moves forward, and in moving up, he drags his back foot. He always does it. Now, when he does, Tony is gonna pitch that left hand. That's the way Joe's gonna get licked. Mark my words, Tony's gonna do it—and inside of five rounds."

On only one point did the boys agree with "Yussel." The fight doesn't figure to go more than five rounds, with all that artillery inside the ring, regardless of the winner.

Man of the Month

(Following each game by The Washington Club, Walter Johnson distributes among the Nats ten points of merit, based on their performances for the day. At the end of each month the Washington player boasting the greatest number of points is designated as the Nats "Man of the Month" and receives a trophy from The Washington Post.

By Walter Johnson.

(WJSV-General Mills Broadcaster.)

George Case lengthened his lead slightly over Buddy Lewis in the Man of the Month contest yesterday with a stellar performance in the losing battle against Lefty Grove. Points were distributed as follows:

To Case, three points, because he made two of the Nats' seven hits and contributed the best catch of the day when he hauled down Foxx's long drive to right centerfield.

To Lewis, two points, because he made what appeared to be an important hit in the first inning, and drew a walk in four turns at bat.

To Jimmy Bloodworth, two points, because he made one of the Nats' hits, and turned in the best infield play of the game with a fancy stop and throw on Carey's hot grounder near second base in the eighth inning with two on base.

To Walter Masterson, two points, because he pitched scoreless ball in a three-inning relief role, allowing only one hit.

To Rick Ferrell, one point, because he contributed a single with a man on base. The totals:

Case	38	Prichard	8
Lewis	36	Alexandra	7
Estrella	29	Krakauskas	6
Wright	28	Appleton	4
West	19	Welsh	4
Travis	18	Gelbert	4
Bloodworth	15	Masterson	2
Haynes	12	Myer	2
Chase	12	Bluce	2
Leonard	11	Giuliani	2
Ferrell	9	Early	1
Kelley	3		

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Palumbo's Balkanese Wins Length and Half in Charles Town Race

Photo Gives Balkanese Place Money

Stand By Is Beaten Out in Picture; Winner Rewards His Followers \$4.40

By Walter Haicht

Charles Town, W. Va., June 26.—Jockey Sammy Palumbo, who has been a stranger to the winner's circle for many races, found the right mount in today's feature race and booted home Capt. Ewart Johnston's Nay Nay. The 8-year-old daughter of Mainmote drove to the imaginary wire a length and a half in front of a photo finish for second money in which E. C. Moyer's Balkanese gained the verdict over E. H. Titmus Jr.'s Stand By.

Nay Nay, always well played hereabouts, was a \$4.40 favorite in the field of eight and ran the route of 6 1/2 furlongs in 1:20.2-5 over a fast track.

Palumbo rode a confident and heady race on Nay Nay. He hustled the ancient mare enough to hold second position behind the pace of Fair Deal at the first turn. On the back stretch, Fair Deal gradually gave ground and Palumbo took command by asking Nay Nay for speed. In the stretch Balkanese and Stand By made bold bids which got them into a close squeeze for second money.

A spectacular spill marked the first race with Kin Mag and Bonnie Brush going down soon after the start in a cloud of dust. Jockeys F. Law and D. Scott were thrown and the horses were unhurt but Socca had to be rushed to the City Hospital. He suffered numerous cuts about the face. Law was knocked out and recovered quickly.

Wander Bird, well ridden by Jockey Leon Garrett, and Lady Grandace, likewise given a good ride by Jockey V. Villalobos, provided the key victories in the \$90.80 daily double.

Arlington Park Entries

By the Associated Press.

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1 Golden Quest 112-113
2 Benjamine 112-113
3 Kin Mag 112-113
4 Lady Grandace 112-113
5 Stand By 112-113
6 Nay Nay 112-113
7 Wander Bird 112-113
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Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	Str.	Fin.	Str.
WANDER BIRD	(Garrett)	112	1	1	1	1	1
OROUGH GIRL	(Garrett)	112	2	2	2	2	2
PAMA'S PAY	(Palumbo)	112	3	3	3	3	3
EXPLODED	(Palumbo)	112	4	4	4	4	4
MISS PLOUNDER	(Palumbo)	112	5	5	5	5	5
KIN MAG	(Palumbo)	112	6	6	6	6	6
BONNIE BRUSH	(Palumbo)	112	7	7	7	7	7

SEVENTH RACE—About 6 1/2 furlongs. Purses, \$400; claiming for 3-year-olds and upward. Went to post at 3:25. Off at 3:28. Winner, J. E. Murphy's Nay Nay, trained by J. E. Murphy. Value to winner, \$300; second, \$60; third, \$30; fourth, \$15.

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Loan League Pays Members \$95,600,000

6,250,000 Persons To Receive Regular Dividend Payments

By Thomas M. Cahill.

Payment of \$95,600,000 dividends by savings, building and loan associations for the semiannual period will be completed Saturday, the United States Building and Loan League reports to the District of Columbia Building and Loan League.

Morton Bodfish, executive vice president of the United States Building and Loan League, says that \$4,000,000 of this amount is being paid to individuals who are getting the first savings and loan dividends in their lives at this time, having made their first such investments during the past six months. Another \$2,500,000 of dividends represents increases in the earnings of people who were already investors, but put money into the associations during the period.

The total of dividend payments is higher than in January 1, because of the increase in total amounts invested by shareholders comparing the two periods, Mr. Bodfish said. Associations are using less Federal Home Loan Bank credit and more private shareholders' money than they were at the end of December, because of the growing popularity of their share accounts with the public.

"Accounts ranging from \$1 up to several thousand dollars are earning these dividends," said the National League official. "Many of the investors build up their capital with these earnings getting it credited on the savings and loan account, and in that manner much of the dividend distribution at this time actually finds its way back into investment in home mortgage loans, whence it originally came as interest from some home borrower."

By this procedure the savings, building and loan associations become a means of co-operative effort not only between the savers and the home borrowers of the current period, but also between the home borrowers of today and those of tomorrow.

Willard Reports on Building

In a report concerning building operations of the local metropolitan area, William B. Willard, a vice president of National Savings & Trust Co., and chairman of the commercial trade activities committee, District of Columbia Bankers Association, states statistics indicate that in the District and adjoining counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Va., and Montgomery and Prince Georges, Md., new construction has proceeded at a rapid rate.

For the District of Columbia alone, total value for 1938 building construction, public and private, was in excess of \$83,000,000, and for the whole Nation, only in the cities of New York and Los Angeles was a greater amount spent for construction purposes, he says. Exclusive of public construction, Washington still ranked near the very top in building operations, as there were only four cities in the United States which enjoyed greater dollar volume of construction activity.

From statistics obtained from the Washington Real Estate Board, it can be observed that in 1932, at the height of the major depression, there was a 17.2 per cent vacancy in the total number of apartment house units, which was reduced to less than 1 per cent by 1934, but which has since increased to slightly under 5 per cent as of the end of 1938. During the first three months of 1939, there has been a slight improvement in this ratio.

"Residential building has continued at no less rapid rate than apartment construction," he continues. "In fact, the demand for small houses has exceeded the demand for apartment units, so that within the last few years, residents of the District of Columbia have been amazed at the phenomenal rate with which this wave of construction has progressed."

"Initially, funds for this extensive construction development came almost entirely from Federal building title II guaranteed loans," he explains. "However, as competition grew, loans began to be made with such guarantee and upon terms more and more favorable to the borrower. Today, greater emphasis is being placed upon the amortized, or the monthly payment loans, which are exceedingly desirable, not only to the lender, but particularly to the owner. Under existing conditions, the amortized, it is cheaper to rent than to buy, is without foundation."

D. C. Loan League Meeting

The June meeting of the District of Columbia Building and Loan League will be held today at the Raleigh Hotel. This will be the last session of the group until August as the July meeting will be held as an open house for all the members and employees. Edward C. Baltz, chairman of the outgoing committee, announced last night that his committee would be ready to state the time and place of the picnic get-together. Serving with Baltz are Carl J. Bergmann, Chapin B. Bauman, C. Gay Harrell and R. E. Hotze.

U. S. Merchandise Imports at New High

The Commerce Department announced yesterday merchandise imports into the United States rose in May to the highest figure in 17 months, totaling \$502,500,000. This figure was \$54,000,000 more than in the corresponding month last year and \$18,000,000 more than in April. Merchandise exports in May amounted to \$248,250,000, maintaining the traditional excess of exports by a margin of \$254,250,000. For the first five months of the year, exports totaling \$1,179,289,000 were ahead of the \$925,479,000 imports for \$253,810,000.

Commercial Loans Decrease in Week

Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans of banks decreased for the second consecutive week in the seven days ended June 21. Banks in 101 leading cities reported to the Federal Reserve Board their business loans, totaling \$3,823,000,000 on June 21, were \$8,000,000 less than in the preceding week. Banks in the Chicago district, however, were primarily responsible for the decrease, accounting for \$7,000,000 of it.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks	Mon.	Sat.
Advances	75	141
Declines	52	171
Unchanged	112	143
Total issues	708	462
Industrials lead declines; volume, 502,290.		
Bonds		
Rail loans down; other groups weak; transfers, \$4,832,500.		
Corn		
Generally lower; turnover, 108,000.		
Commodities		
Wheat steady; cotton irregular; coffee lower; sugar strong.		
Exchange		
Sterling higher; Great Britain, \$4.68 3/16; France 284 15/16 cents.		

Cotton Futures Close \$1 a Bale Over Early Losses

New York, June 26 (AP)—A late rally carried cotton futures close to \$1 a bale above morning lows today. Brokers were forced to fall back on the familiar phrase, "technical rebound" to account for the rally. The closing range was 3 points. Up to 2 closing.

The market spiraled down to losses of 12 to 15 points in early dealings, taking a cue from action at Liverpool. Nervous selling was also prompted by speculation over possible effects of an adjustable export subsidy as proposed by Farm Administration officials. Selling was general.

When offerings slackened after midday and contracts became difficult to buy, the tide turned and prices landed at new highs for the season. Brokers said, however, they were still in the dark over actual operation of the subsidy plan.

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Allegheny Corp. Enjoined From Spending Assets

New York, June 26 (AP)—The Allegheny Corp., top holding company in the former Van Sweringen rail empire, was restrained in a court order today from disposing of free assets of \$12,255,000 except for payment of \$10,000 monthly in expenses.

Federal Judge Vincent L. Leibel issued a limited temporary injunction pending trial of a suit by trustees under two Allegheny bond issues to determine whether the assets should be posted as collateral for the obligations, totaling nearly \$45,000,000.

The trustees—the Midland Trust Co. and the Continental Bank & Trust Co., of New York—maintain Allegheny is bound under the trust indentures to keep behind the bonds collateral in ratio of 150 per cent of the face value of the issues.

Robert R. Young, New York City financier, now heads Allegheny and has engaged in contests with Wall Street bankers interests to keep control of some of the rail properties which were drawn together under the Van Sweringen holding companies.

Business Failures Rise

New York, June 26 (AP)—Business failures in the United States during the week ended June 23 rose to 284 from 213 in the preceding week. Dun & Bradstreet reported today. The total in the comparable 1938 week was 249.

Security Averages

Stocks	50	20	30	90
Yesterday	108.9	28.5	63.9	89.2
Previous day	111.1	27.1	67.0	91.1
Week ago	107.7	25.9	66.3	90.7
Month ago	111.2	27.6	68.9	92.1
Year ago	112.5	28.5	68.2	90.5
Two years ago	149.8	52.3	73.8	122.0
1938 high	126.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
1938 low	33.6	20.1	45.3	67.8
1937 high	180.3	67.5	104.7	148.3
1937 low	96.9	29.8	55.9	80.7

Bonds	50	20	30	90
Yesterday	86.6	58.8	101.6	81.2
Previous day	86.5	58.4	101.5	81.8
Week ago	86.2	58.0	101.6	81.3
Month ago	85.3	58.2	101.5	80.7
Year ago	81.1	54.8	98.0	78.9
Two years ago	90.9	91.5	99.8	94.0
1938 high	87.3	70.0	99.7	83.0
1938 low	74.9	47.9	87.3	70.7
1937 high	85.0	101.2	106.0	100.7
1937 low	80.1	89.3	92.3	81.1

(1926 average equals 100.)

1940 Business Outlook Held Unfavorable

No Way Indicated To Support Private Credit Expansion

New York, June 26.—At the present time, the business outlook for 1940 is not promising, according to the Alexander Hamilton Institute. One reason for this is that there is no indication of the development of an inflationary movement to support the present high cost of doing business. There is little prospect that inflation will be created by expansion of private credit. In the first place, private debts are still large and, where large debts prevail, there is little basis for obtaining new credit. In the second place, profits are small or negative, existing at the present time and there is no incentive for business to expand when money cannot be made as the result of doing so. In the third place, production at the present time is far below capacity to produce and there is no necessity for enlarging capacity.

Since there is little hope of inflation developing as the result of private credit expansion, the creation of inflation will depend entirely on Government deficit spending. In view of the Government's record during the past year, there is little prospect that the Government will be successful in doing much along this line. The Government has borrowed a large amount of money since the middle of 1938, but the downward trend of commodity prices during this period indicates that the trend has continued toward deflation despite the Government's inflationary measures.

Inflation Necessary

Without inflation next year, there can be no improvement in the situation unless the cost of doing business is reduced to a level in line with the deflated national income. Since a reduction in costs means a cut in wages rates, it is questionable whether much progress will be made along this line. With the Government spending a large amount of money for relief, there is little surplus labor exerting pressure on the labor market and the result is that labor is able to keep wage rates maintained at a high level.

If wage rates could be reduced, the eventual result would be the solution of this country's economic problems. This was the method used by the Nation in emerging from depression in the past. Lower wage rates made possible a reduction in prices, and lower prices stimulated the demand. As a result of the increased demand, production expanded until all those who were unemployed found work. This expansion in production resulted in an increase in profits, in a shortage of capacity to produce, and consequently in the stimulation of capital expenditures. The Nation thus returned to a state of prosperity.

Money Markets

New York, June 26 (AP)—Closing rates for Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.
Great Britain—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
France—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Italy—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Japan—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Netherlands—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Sweden—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Switzerland—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Belgium—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Denmark—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Norway—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Finland—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Greece—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
Portugal—Demand, 4.68 1/16; 60-day bill, 4.47 1/2.
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Short Term Securities

(Reported by Robert C. Jones & Co., Inc.)
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The Market

Prices Decline as Far Eastern Situation Overshadows Senate Monetary Move; Bonds Are Lower

New York, June 26.—The more serious turn of events in the Far East brought selling into the stock market today and for the first time since June 15 the volume of business on the big board topped the half million share mark. Prices opened lower and there was no good rally throughout the balance of the session with the result that prices closed off an average of three-quarters point. This loss of one day was greater than the entire spread between the high and low of the average last week.

Selling was based entirely on the turn of events in the British-Japanese controversy, for as far as business is concerned there is a gradual improvement and as far as domestic politics is concerned it is apparent that there will be considerable opposition in Congress to the President's effort to spend an additional \$3,800,000,000 outside of the budget.

Major Move Ignored
Although today's market produced more in the way of activity and fluctuation of prices than has been seen for some weeks, it appears to have ignored a happening of major significance which should have had some repercussion in the stock market. For in a way today was day of utmost importance, and we must blame the Japanese and the British for the failure of the market to signal the matter in appropriate manner.

Senate Overrides President
For we saw a miracle, along about the time of the close of the stock market, when Congress took back one of the major monetary powers which the President was accorded when he was considered by many to be a Messiah. The Senate refused to continue his power to devalue the dollar, a power which will expire automatically on Friday.

The monetary of man rumormongers to the contrary when the value of the dollar was not limited by the statutory price of gold, which was \$35.87 an ounce. That was the price which we started to enjoy the more abundant life under the present administration, wherein to accomplish a synthetic rise in prices, which somehow did not still birth, the price was raised to \$35 an ounce and the value of savings was cut correspondingly. Under this policy the investors in life insurance policies and the depositors in savings banks and the investors in high-grade bonds lost. If anyone gained, he must be the forgotten man, for he has not been found yet. He is so forgotten that he is completely unknown. Certainly it didn't help ten million men who are looking for work.

Change Is for the Better
But now the Senate has seen fit to stop this bit of crazy finance. The President was given the power to double the price of gold, and thus devalue the dollar even further. Now this power is to expire, for now we can all sing the doxology. It may not be much as far as it goes, but it shows such a healthy recognition of the fact that the great white fallacy might do some wrong if he were given the opportunity that we should all be duly thankful that this chance at least is to be removed from his bag of tricks.

President's Power Unlimited

There is more to this vote of the Senate than meets the eye. For it must be remembered that in the crazy finance of the first part of the Roosevelt Administration the devalued powers which never fell to the most fortunate of the monarchs of old. Most of these powers still remain. They included the right to issue \$5,000,000,000 in greenbacks, to buy silver at 75¢ above the market worth and to control the stabilization fund. But at least one, for now being limited, namely the one to set the gold value of the dollar which you and all of us work for. This is a victory of no mean proportions.

The Senate's vote against the proposal to fix the price of silver

FHA Announces Two-Year Renewal For Home Loans

By the Associated Press.
The Federal Housing Administration notified banks yesterday of the extension for two years of its offer to insure modernization and repair loans to home owners.

The extension, recently voted by Congress, decreases the maximum amount of insured modernization loans from \$10,000 to \$2,500.

Since 1934, except for about a year when the FHA's authority to insure this type of loan lapsed, \$27,005,411 of such loans have been insured.

On modernization loans, the FHA insured up to 10 per cent of the loans, in contrast to its regular mortgage insurance system under which it insures the full value of a newly built or purchased home providing the mortgage does not exceed 80 or 90 per cent of the value of the property, depending on its price class.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post
New York, June 26.—The 15 most active stock exchange issues today were:

Stock	Volume	Close	Net ch.
Loft, Inc.	18,200	11 1/2	- 1/4
U. S. Rubber	15,000	10 1/2	- 1/4
Chrysler	12,000	9 1/2	- 1/4
Gen. Elec.	10,000	23 1/2	- 1/4
East. Pac. Serv.	10,000	13	- 1/4
Consol. Edison	10,000	29 1/2	- 1/4
N. Y. Central	9,000	17 1/2	- 1/4
Rocky-Mountain	8,000	11 1/2	- 1/4
Sunshine Mining	7,000	13 1/2	- 1/4
Bon. Ediscon	6,000	11 1/2	- 1/4
Gen. Motors	5,000	43 1/2	- 1/4
U. S. Steel	4,000	45 1/2	- 1/4
Volume, 15 stocks, 115,100 shares.			
Ratio to total volume, 22.6 per cent.			

at \$11.18 an ounce against the present price of 64 1/2 cents. The silver was also a victory as far as it went but it is known that the silver group, knowing the Administration needs its votes, has some other prices up its sleeve. We dare not cheer too loudly on this one.

Left Most Active
Trading today, while showing losses for most of the leaders, was not important. Loft was again the most active stock. Stocks were particularly hard hit there being a reduction in steel operations for this week of 0.7 point. United States Rubber also was soft and there were losses of more than a point in such leaders as General Electric, Celanese Steel, Goodyear, Harvester, Sears, Texas and Westinghouse.

Bond Trading Lower
Listed bonds moved irregularly lower today, with almost all issues affected by the deepening pessimism. United States Treasury bonds were off by small fractions, as the spending-lending program is lessening the demand for them. Speculative corporation bonds were market lower by fractions to 2 points. Local traction remained fairly active, but they suffered a relapse after the share advance of last week. Foreign dollar obligations were dull and weak. Turnover in all issues was \$4,830,000.

Treasury Issues Dip
Long-term United States Treasury issues dipped 1-3/4 to 4-3/4 point in quiet trading. A few inactive bonds improved, but this did not change the main tendency. Guaranteed issues of the farm and home corporations were almost entirely neglected. Highest rated utility, railroad and industrial issues showed small fractional losses, owing to the depressing effect of the drift in Treasury bonds.

Medium-priced railroad bonds were under modest pressure, and losses also appeared in almost all borderline and default issues. The Interborough & Manhattan Railway issues led the local traction lower, with B. M. T. 4 1/2% also affected. Most holding company and convertible issues remained soft. Lehigh Valley Coal bonds proved an exception to the general downward tendency, and one or two amusement issues also were firm.

Italian and Japanese bonds were active in the foreign division and sharply lower. High-grade Scandinavian, Canadian, Australian and Argentine bonds lost ground. German and other European default obligations attracted no attention. Latin-American disregarded pledges were soft of the week-end assaults on the program to lend taxpayers' money to the defaulters.

Established 65 YEARS

May Insurance Sales 9% Over Year Ago

F. McKay Smith, manager of the Washington office of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co., has just received word from his home office that \$332,000,000 of new ordinary life insurance was sold in the United States during May according to figures just released by the Life Insurance Sales Research Bureau. This amount represents an increase of 9 per cent when compared with sales for the same month one year ago.

For the first five months of 1939 sales are 14 per cent ahead of last year. For the year-to-date period every section in the country has experienced at least a 5 per cent increase over a similar period in 1938.

This is under no circumstances to be construed as an offering of these Bonds for sale, or as an offer to buy, or as a solicitation of an offer to buy, any of such Bonds. The offer is made only by means of the Prospectus.

New Issue

\$25,000,000

Bethlehem Steel Corporation

Consolidated Mortgage Twenty Year Sinking Fund

3 1/4% Bonds, Series F

To be dated July 1, 1939

To be due July 1, 1959

PRICE 99% AND ACCRUED INTEREST

Copies of the Prospectus are obtainable from the undersigned or from any other underwriter of this issue.

Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Smith, Barney & Co. Mellon Securities Corporation

Harriman Ripley & Co. The First Boston Corporation

Union Securities Corporation

June 27, 1939

Wheat Prices Rally, Offset Early Decline

**Bethlehem Bonds
Priced at 99%**

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suburban 35	120	92
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& Tel (9)	161%	15%
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Pow 6% pl (6)	114	114
Pow 5 1/2% pl (8.50)	114	114
5% La Com (1.50)	29	29
5% La pl (4.50)	107	107
5% La Com (2.36)	690	690
5% La pl (5)	118	118
al Bank		
(4)	143	143
(5)	176	190
(15)	200	200
(e8)	285	280
pl (3)	122 1/2	122 1/2
ntion (6)	122	122
Company		
nc & Tr Co (e8)	250	262
ay Tr (v2.00)	185	205
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Bank of Bethesda (75)		*28	
& Savings (710.00)		*264	
Insurance		115	

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- (n) \$14.00 extra.
- (k) 20c extra.
- (m) \$1.50 extra.
- (p) 50c paid September 30, 1938.
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World of C Hears Plea for Trade Study

**Watson Warns of
War Peril; President
Sends Greetings**

Copenhagen, June 26.—Thomas J. Watson, of New York, retiring president of the International Chamber of Commerce, today declared "we must not have another war for it will mean the destruction of civilization as we understand it today."

Watson addressed the tenth Congress of the chamber in the presence of King Christian of Denmark.

He said he would propose that the six or seven leading countries of the world each appoint a committee of economic experts to work with representatives of Government and business in a study of the economics of their countries from the standpoint of national needs.

Stigfred Ekstroem, managing director of a Swedish electrical firm, was named by the council to succeed Watson as chamber president for the next two years.

President Roosevelt sent this message to Watson:

"In these times of international uncertainty the existence of the International Chamber of Commerce and its efforts to promote international economic activity are extremely heartening to those of us who believe that only with the existence of stable and progressively improving world trade and finance will it be possible to establish satisfactory international political relations."

"I am glad to take this opportunity of expressing again my appreciation of the work done by the promotion of world trade and understanding by the International Chamber of Commerce, which has been under your leadership for the last two years. I extend my best wishes for continued successful activities in this direction."

Secretary of State Hull said his best wishes were "I echo the words of the President."

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Rowland Robert conducts the Department of Agriculture Orchestra Monday evening in the National Building auditorium. Program: Symphony No. 2 in D major (Brahms), Last Movement from "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" (Schubert), "Impressionist Suite" (Galliera), Polovetzian Dances from "Kozak Igor" (Borodin), "The Call of the Plains" (R. Goldmark), "Cripple Creek" from "Southern Mountain Suite" (Stringfield).

Dr. Walter Bauer entrusted last evening's concert by the Department of Agriculture Orchestra to his assistant conductor, Rowland Robert, who made his debut on the podium with the air of one not in the least perturbed by an ordeal. The confidence of his demeanor and the assurance of his guiding beat gave the impression that he was quite accustomed to the post of authority, and he gave no sign of being flustered by any of the uncertain entries and tonal vagaries inevitable in an amateur organization. He was given a cordial reception by a large and friendly audience.

Mr. Robert is to be congratulated upon the security with which he handled the second symphony of Brahms. His conception to the music was evidently firmly fixed in his mind, for his eye was seldom on the score and mostly upon the players, as a good conductor's eye should be. His beat was always clearly defined and his cues were well timed. His good judgment was manifest when he took the limitations of the orchestra into consideration by turning the adagio of the second movement into an allegretto, and musically attributes which indicate that he is a promising conductor.

In the selection of program material, Dr. Bauer can always be counted upon for some novelties. The first of these last evening was the finale from "Eine Serenade" by George Alfred Schumann, a pleasant bit of post-romantic music with plenty of humor in it. The second was a set of three "Exotic Impressions" by Alcega Galliera, whose name does not appear in any encyclopedia connected with the term. The third was a set of three "Exotic Impressions" by Alcega Galliera, whose name does not appear in any encyclopedia connected with the term. The third was a set of three "Exotic Impressions" by Alcega Galliera, whose name does not appear in any encyclopedia connected with the term.

The remainder of the program consisted of the Polovetzian dances from Borodin's "Kozak Igor," "The Call of the Plains" and "The Cripple Creek" from "Southern Mountain Suite." In these picturesque pieces the orchestra played with vim and patient enjoyment. The concert will be repeated tonight, when Mr. Robert will doubtless receive further commendation.

Funeral Today For Daisy Perrine, Nurse With Allies

A military funeral for Daisy Elizabeth Perrine, a nurse with both the British and American forces in France during the World War, who died Saturday at her home in Franklin, Pa., will be held today in Arlington Cemetery by the American Legion, of which she was a member.

A graduate of Allegheny Hospital, Pittsburgh, she enlisted with Dr. George H. Crile's Lakeside Unit of Cleveland, serving first with the British and later with the American Expeditionary Force.

Following the war she was one of three nurses named to establish a field nursing service in Cuyahoga County, Ohio, and served later with the Veterans' Administration headquarters in Lexington, Ky.

Location of Russo-Japanese Conflict



Confirming previous Japanese dispatches, Moscow announced yesterday that artillery warfare, with tanks and planes participating, has been waged between Japanese and Soviet Mongol troops for six weeks in the Lake Baikal region on the Manchoukou-Mongolian border.

Legal Record

DAILY LEGAL RECORD
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Vital Statistics

Deaths
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Charles P. Miller, 58, died Sunday at his home. Burial at Arlington Cemetery.
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Births
Richard and Mary Carley, boy, born Sunday at their home. Weight, 7 1/2 pounds.
Edward and Lillian Eades, boy, born Sunday at their home. Weight, 7 1/2 pounds.
Joseph and Mary Smith, boy, born Sunday at their home. Weight, 7 1/2 pounds.
John and Mary Smith, boy, born Sunday at their home. Weight, 7 1/2 pounds.

Marriages
Thomas Moore Smith, 25, of Alexandria, and Marie Smith, 25, of Alexandria, were married Sunday at their home. Officiated by Rev. Charles R. Smith.
James Franklin Stewart, 32, of 320 Maryland ave. S.W., and Marie Stewart, 32, of 320 Maryland ave. S.W., were married Sunday at their home. Officiated by Rev. Charles R. Smith.

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Ship Movements
At New York
Arrived Yesterday
American shipper, from Southampton.
Arrived Tomorrow
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Departed Yesterday
American shipper, to Southampton.
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Reichsbank Statement
Berlin, June 26 (AP).—The Reichsbank statement as of June 24 (in thousands of marks):
Notes in circulation, 7,895,400, decrease, 100,700.
Gold, 1,600,000, increase, 100,000.
Silver, 1,600,000, increase, 100,000.
Foreign exchange, 1,600,000, increase, 100,000.
Total assets, 11,195,400, increase, 100,000.
Total liabilities, 11,195,400, increase, 100,000.

United States Treasury Notes
Outstanding (Millions)
Treasury 2 1/2% 1940-43, 100.00
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What's Going On

And Where
Columbia Heights Businessmen's Association, 3037 14th st. N.W., 12:30 p.m.
Insurance Managers, Hotel Hamilton, 12:30 p.m.
Men of the Trade, British Foreign Society, 12:30 p.m.
Coal Division, Merchants and Manufacturers, 12:30 p.m.
National Electrical Contractors, 12:30 p.m.
National Association of Manufacturers, 12:30 p.m.
National Association of Retail Druggists, 12:30 p.m.
National Association of Wholesale Druggists, 12:30 p.m.
National Association of Apothecaries, 12:30 p.m.
National Association of Dispensaries, 12:30 p.m.

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The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table
(Published by United States Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey)
Sun rises: 4:44 High tide: 4:24 4:50
Sun sets: 7:36 Low tide: 11:19 11:37

Weather Conditions
U. S. Dept. of Agr. Weather Bureau.
Washington, Monday, June 26, 7:30 p. m.
Forecast for the District of Columbia:
Generally fair and slightly warmer Tuesday; Wednesday mostly cloudy, followed by local showers; gentle winds, mostly southeast Tuesday.

Weather Conditions
Pressure is high from southern New England, 30.36 inches, and from the Gulf of Mexico, 30.36 inches. A disturbance of slight intensity is moving very slowly eastward with center about 400 miles west of the Cape Verde Islands. A low pressure system is moving rapidly eastward over the Atlantic Ocean, and will reach the coast of Virginia on Tuesday. A low pressure system is moving rapidly eastward over the Atlantic Ocean, and will reach the coast of Virginia on Tuesday.

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Deaths

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CHIT, VITO M. On Monday, June 26, 1939, at his home, 209 1/2th st. S.W., VITO M. CHIT, the beloved husband of Mrs. Lucy Chit and Tony Chit. Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday, June 28, at 10:30 a. m. Burial at Arlington Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by the Rev. W. W. Chambers Co.

DIED
FEARSON, HOWARD F. On Friday, June 23, 1939, at his home, 131 1/2th st. S.W., HOWARD F. FEARSON, the beloved husband of Mrs. Mary F. Fearson. Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday, June 28, at 10:30 a. m. Burial at Arlington Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by the Rev. W. W. Chambers Co.

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Deaths

DIED
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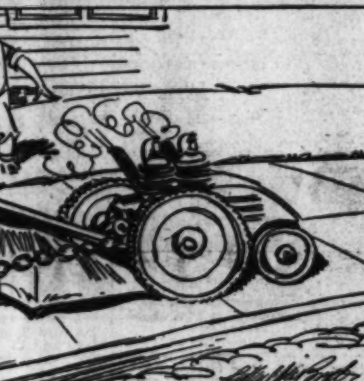
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The Federal Diary



By The Diarist



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The iron stakes down at the horse-shoe grounds in Potomac Park will be nicked plenty beginning July 17. All good right arms being drafted into the horsehoe tournament being planned by the Maritime Commission's Recreational and Athletic Association. William U. Kirsch, president of the group, announces that already there have been 20 applications, and the throwing date is still more than two weeks off. He expects that by the time the tournament is over—and it will probably last all summer—at least 100 will have taken part in the commission's rounds of barnyard golf.

To the winner—shove the microphone this way and say a few words to the folks back home in the country store—will go a trophy which will more than likely portray a doughty athlete getting ready to let out with a fast one. The runner-up will also be rewarded with a similar piece of statuary. And if the ladies decide to go into the tournament also, a prize will be worked out for them. It won't be a piece of embroidery.

Kirsch, who helped to form the Maritime's leisure hour league al-

most a year ago last March, went to New York University. He was one of the school's muscle men, having been a member of the following brawn divisions: Football, track, rifle, swimming, crew. Practically everything on the card but horseshoes.

Other officers of the group are Edward Dillon, its vice president, and Miss Emma Ragan, its secretary-treasurer.

The Commission's Recreational and Athletic Association when it meets with its board of directors next week also will study a few plans for a tennis tournament this summer and a golf jamboree in the autumn.

The Department of the Interior's National Park Service has labored and brought forth a page-long mimeographed schedule of week-end events to be conducted by the Naturalist Division for the summer season. This schedule—strictly Washington area—will begin next Sunday and keep on moving fast until November 26. (Don't they know that summer is over on September 21?)

The first communion with nature will take place at the Kenilworth Lily Gardens, just across the Anacostia River from the National Training School for Boys. You'll have to be up early to catch up with the group, members of which will start out at 8:30 a. m. It seems that the lilies close up shop in the afternoon and that the best time to get a look at them is in the morning.

In the gardens are 42 separate ponds making about 13 acres of wading area. Of the 100,000 plants grown there in a season, there are 400 in bloom right now.

Around September of last year the U. S. Engineering Office started doing some flood control projects in that area and purchased the gardens which had been started as a private hobby in 1870 by Walter B. Shaw. They then turned them over to the National Park Service, and this is the first time that the lilies, and lotuses have become a public institution.

Mrs. Helen Fowler, who kept up her father's hobby, has another hobby of her own—painting. She lives in a house adjoining the property and in her free hours she specializes in flower pictures. In case 8:30 a. m. sounds too early

For the first time, the Treasury Department's section of fine arts, under the direction of Edward Bruce, is announcing an all-State competition for postoffice murals. Nearest postoffice to be brushed up will be that at Elkton, Md. The building will not be finished and ready for occupancy until December 1, but if you're the lucky artist, the project will be \$750 in your wallet.

The competition will close October 2. The best of the designs submitted from all 48 States will go into glass cases at the Corcoran Art Gallery here and some of them will travel as far as the National Gallery of Canada and the Tate Gallery in London.

The Department of the Interior has just sent out a slightly colloquial release on the 1939 season at Glacier National Park. It calls witnesses "hashers," maids "sheet-scratchers," laundresses "bubble queens," dishwashers "pearl divers" and porters "pack rats." All of which means the hotels and their hired help are full-swinging.

Innocent Bystander
Portland, Ore., June 26 (AP).—Three-year-old Jackie Quinlan sat on a tree trunk today and watched searchers drag the Clackamas River for his body. Then they looked up and saw him.

PRIVATE LIVES

By Edwin Cox



BY-PRODUCT OF THE BROADWAY HIT SHOW "HELLZ-A-POPPIN" IS TWO DAILY FRESH EGGS LAID BY THE STAGE CHICKENS. THESE BECOME THE LOOT OF PANTOMIMIST HAL SHERMAN.



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THE FLOWER OF FLATBUSH WHO WAS PROMOTED BY THE MOVIES AS A "SCANDINAVIAN DISCOVERY" HAS LATELY TAKEN UP WITH OTHER FOREIGN WAYS. SHE KEEPS TWO SOUTH AMERICAN COLETS AS PETS. NAMES OF THE BIG CATS: LANCELOT AND LANCELOTTE.

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

A sense of humor is needed nowhere as much as at the card table, except possibly in life, and when a player can view his triumphs as well as his defeats with a chuckle he is really making progress. Too many of us are inclined to take full credit for our victories and to blame our partners, malicious fate, or a perverse moon for our defeats.

H. A. tells a funny one on himself and his adversaries in which some gorgeous bungling brought success to his venturesome three club, doubled, contract. The cards are shown in today's box. One adversary made an inspired lead of a king, holding king-jack, into declarer's ace-queen which threw away at least one trick. The other, a member of the fair sex, simply refused to part with her king and trumps and thereby facilitated declarer's play further.

H. A. writes: "This hand, played by me in the South position at a contract of three clubs, doubled, clearly illustrates that co-operation of the opponents is the greatest asset to a declarer."

Today's Hand

Both sides vulnerable.
East West Part Score, 80.

WEST DEALER
♠ 986
♥ K8653
♦ K8
♣ A85

♠ KJ7
♥ AK104
♦ AQJ8
♣ J10

♠ 10432
♥ J92
♦ 974
♣ K43

♠ 95
♥ 7
♦ 10532
♣ Q9763

The bidding:
West North East South
1 ♠ Pass Pass 2 ♣
2 ♠ 3 ♣ Pass Pass
Double Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: K ♣.

"West opened the king of hearts; East played the deuce. Now comes West's master lead of the king of spades; my ace wins. I lead the deuce of diamonds; West's ace wins. West now realizes my dishonorable intentions to steal some diamond ruffs and leads the ten of clubs. I play low from dummy. East, bless her heart, holds on to the king for reasons best known to herself. My queen wins. I lead a small diamond to dummy's king, return to my hand by ruffing a heart. The third diamond is ruffed by dummy's eight of clubs, a heart is trumped on the way back, and my fourth diamond is ruffed with dummy's ace of clubs, East discarding a spade.

"I enter my hand with the queen of spades and my last spade is won by West's jack. I still need a trick for my contract and the situation is as follows:

♠ none
♥ Q8
♦ none
♣ none

♠ none
♥ A
♦ none
♣ J

♠ none
♥ none
♦ none
♣ K4

♠ none
♥ none
♦ none
♣ none

♠ none
♥ none
♦ none
♣ none

♠ none
♥ none
♦ none
♣ none

The Post Radio Highlights

Washington plays *Belshazzar's Feast*, 7:30 p. m.
Edward G. Robinson and Claire Trevor expose the employment agencies in their "Big Town"—WJWS, 7 p. m.
O. Henry's "Strictly Business" inaugurates a new dramatic series on the Johnny Presents program—WRC, 7 p. m.
Saint-Saens' Concerto III in B minor is played by violinist Benno Rabanof—WOL, 7:30 p. m.
Former Governor of Connecticut Wilbur Cross, Oscar Levant, John Kieran and Franklin P. Adams face Clifton Fadiman on Information Please—WMAJ, 7:30 p. m.
How to take a vacation seems to be Robert Benchley's sermon for his final broadcast, after which he goes off to practice what he preaches—WMAJ, 8 p. m.
Thomas Walker, current recipient of a pension settled by King Charles II on an ancestor for saving the king's neck from Oliver Cromwell, explains the grant—WJWS, 8 p. m.
Mr. District Attorney begins a new weekly series—WRC, 9 p. m.
Senator Sheridan Downey (Democrat), California, talking on "Youth in Industry," deals with the wage and hour laws as they relate to young people—WJWS, 9:45 p. m.

WMAJ	WRC	WOL	WJWS	Washington
476M-630K	316M-950K	223M-1,230K	286M-1,460K	
6:00	Gordon		Arthur Godfrey	6:00
6:15	Hittman			6:15
6:30	Today's	Art Brown		6:30
6:45	Prologue			6:45
7:00				7:00
7:15				7:15
7:30	STATION PDS	News		7:30
7:45	PRESENTS	Art Brown		7:45
8:00		News		8:00
8:15	Gordon		Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	Hittman		8:30
8:45	Breakfast Club	News	Art Brown	8:45
9:00	Thunder	Central City		9:00
9:15	Jack Higgins	John's Other Wife	Piano Lessons	9:15
9:30	Originalities	Just Plain Bill	Melody Strings	9:30
9:45	Air Sea Space	Woman in White	News	9:45
10:00	Mary Martin	David Harum	Consolidated	10:00
10:15	Vic and Sade	Lorenzo Jones	Keyboard	10:15
10:30	The Vagabonds	Widow Brown	Keeping Fit	10:30
10:45	Jack Fey	Read of Life	Arthur's Orch.	10:45
11:00	Meet Song W'ter	Romantic's Orch.	Musical	11:00
11:15	Ross Trio	The O'Neill	Polyphonic	11:15
11:30	National	Mary Mason	Black and White	11:30
11:45	Farm and		Emergency Coun.	11:45

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS			
Time	Program	Station	Time
12:00	Home Hour	News	The Happy Gang
12:15	Devotions	News	Life, Beautiful
12:30	Peabody	Tax Walker	Walkathon
12:45	News, Music	Fed. Wm. Clubs	Luncheon Music
1:00	N.E.C. Salon	Betty and Bob	Palmer House
1:15	Orchestra	Grimm's Daughter	Tony Wakeman
1:30	Little	Valiant Lady	"You Family"
1:45	Variety Show	Church Hymns	"W. Girl Marries"
2:00	Army Band	Mary Martin	Tony Wakeman
2:15	2:15	Ma Perkins	News
2:30	Rhythm	Paper Family	"Elmer City"
2:45	and Song	Guiding Light	" "
3:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	News
3:15	" "	Stella Dallas	Tony Wakeman
3:30	" "	Vic and Sade	" "
3:45	News	Midstream	" "
4:00	Rhythm and	The	" "
4:15	Romance	Rhythmairs	" "
4:30	Anthony's Affairs	Music Graphs	" "
4:45	Yehudi Hirschka	Betty Barrett	" "
5:00	Ranch Boys	Eugene Conley	Walkathon
5:15	News	Paradise Isle	Music of Today
5:30	Tune Types	News	Cocktail Capers
5:45	Lowell Thomas	The Plainsman	Johnson Family

EVENING PROGRAMS			
Time	Program	Station	Time
6:00	Easy Aces	Fred Waring	Sports Reunion
6:15	Mr. Kean	Quicksilver	Amos and Andy
6:30	District News	Songs at Eventide	Jimmy Fidler
6:45	Sports Review	The Old Timer	Helen Mankin
7:00	The Inside	Johnny	Fallen Lewis, Jr.
7:15	Information	George Jessel	Big Town
7:30	Music	Benno Rabanof	Sign Off
7:45	Music	Benno Rabanof	Sign Off
8:00	Melody Madness	Battle of the Bands	Cabaret's Orch.
8:15	" "	Suzanne	Edwin C. Hill
8:30	True Stories	Fiber McGee	Success Session
8:45	" "	Molly	Bob Crosby
9:00	N.E.C. Program	Mr. District	News
9:15	Intermezzo	Uncle Walter's	Vivienne Music
9:30	Intermezzo	Dog House	Ted Fieritz's
9:45	Barnett's Orch.		San. Downey
10:00	Nobel Sissel	News	Freddy Martin's
10:15	Orchestra	Starlight Roof	News, E.C. Hill
10:30	Banking Talk	Ray Kinney's	Orchestra
10:45	Himber's Orch.	Orchestra	Williams' Orch.
11:00	Savitt's Orch.	Sports Reunion	Savoy Kay's
11:15	Music	The Musical	Glen Gray's
11:30	You	Desire	Caravan
11:45	" "	" "	" "
12:00	Night Watchman	Sign Off	The Lonely Hour
12:15	" "	" "	Weather Forecast
12:30	" "	" "	Sign Off
12:45	" "	" "	Sign Off

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The Yearling

By Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings

Chapter XXI

PENNY LOTTERED over his leaving. "I hate to leave," he said, "per-tukler, now Oliver's here." "I miss Oliver worse," she said, "when he's here, and away from me, than when he's at sea." Jody said, "Hill's Twink. Hill's gals does it. I don't never aim to have no gal."

He was resentful of Oliver's leaving. The four of them made a closer community, and Oliver had torn it to tatters. Penny basked in the peace of the cottage. He filled his pipe again and again with the foreign tobacco.

He said: "I do hate it, but we got to go. We got our tridin' to do, and hill's a fur piece home, a-foot."

Jody walked along the river bank and threw sticks for Fluff. He saw Easy Easy running toward the cottage.

Easy called, "Git your pa quick. Don't let Mr. Hutto hear."

Jody ran through the garden and called his father. Penny came outside.

Easy panted, "Oliver's fightin' the Forrester. He took a crack at Lem outside the store and all them fightin' Forrester come down on him. They're killin' him."

Penny ran for the store. Jody could not keep up with him. Easy trailed behind both of them.

Penny called over his shoulder, "I hope we kin settle it afore grandma gals into it with a gun."

Jody called, "Pa, we fightin' for Oliver!"

"We're fightin' for whoever's takin' a lickin' and that's Oliver," Jody's brain whirled like a windmill.

He said, "Pa, you said no man couldn't live on Baxter's Island without the Forrester was his friends."

"I said so. But I ain't goin' to see Oliver hurt."

Jody was numb. It seemed to him that Oliver deserved his punishment. He had gone away and left them, to see a girl. He was almost glad the Forrester were after him. Perhaps Oliver would come home from the fight and be done with his nonsense. Twink Weatherby—Jody spat into the sand. He thought of Fodder-wing. He could not bear never to be friends with him again.

He called to his father's back, "I ain't goin' to fight for Oliver."

Penny did not answer. His short legs churned. The fight was in the sandy road in front of the Boyles store. A cloud of dust rose ahead, like a whirlwind in the heat of summer. Jody heard the shout-



ing of the watchers before he could make out the figures of the fighters. All of Volusia was there.

Penny panted, "That white possum crowd don't hear who's killin' as they git to see a fight."

Jody saw Twink Weatherby on the outer circle. Men and women called her pretty, but he wanted to tear out her soft yellow curls, one by one. Her small pointed face was white. Her wide blue eyes were fixed on the fighters. She twisted a handkerchief around and around in her fingers. Penny pushed his way through the crowd. Jody followed behind him. He clutched at his father's shirt.

IT WAS TRUE. The Forrester were killing Oliver. Oliver was fighting three of them at once. Lem and Mill-wheel and Buck. He looked like a buck deer Jody had once seen, wounded and bleeding, with the dogs tearing flesh from its throat and shoulders. Blood and sand covered his face. He was boxing warily trying to take on one Forrester at a time. Lem and Buck rushed in on him together. Jody heard a heavy fist crack against bone. Oliver dropped in the sand. The crowd roared.

Jody's mind whirled in confusion. Oliver deserved it, for leaving the cottage and going to a girl. But three against one was never fair. Even when the dogs bayed a bear or panther, it seemed to him an uneven matter. The Forrester, his mother said, were black-hearted. He had never believed her. They sang and drank and frolicked and guffawed. They fed him lavishly and slapped him on the back and

gave him Fodder-wing to play with. Was this black-hearted, for three to fight together against one? Yet Mill-wheel and Buck were fighting for Lem, keeping his girl for him. Was not that good? Was not that loyal? Oliver came to his knees, then wavered to his feet. He smiled through the dirt and blood. Jody's stomach turned over. Oliver was being killed.

Jody jumped on Lem's back. He clawed at his neck and thumped his head. Lem shook him off and turned and sent him sprawling. His face stung from the impact of the big hand. His hip ached from the fall.

Lem snapped, "You keep outen this, you little panther."

Penny called loudly, "Who's judgin' this?"

Lem said, "We're judgin' it." Penny pushed in front of him. His voice was high against the shouting.

"If it take three men to whop one, I say that one is the better man."

Lem advanced on him.

He said, "I'm o' no mind to kill you, Penny Baxter. But I'll smack you flat as a skedder if you don't git outen my way."

Penny said, "Fair is fair. If you aim to kill Oliver, shoot him honest and hang for murder. But be men."

Buck shuffled his feet in the sand. He said, "We'd of fit him one at a time, but he lit right in."

Penny pressed his advantage. "Whose fight is it? Who done what to who?"

Lem said, "He come back stealin', that's what he done."

Oliver wiped his sleeve across his face. He said, "It's Lem that tried to steal."

"Steal what?" Penny pounded one fist inside the other. "Hounds, hogs, guns, or horses?"

On the outer rim, Twink Weatherby began to cry.

Oliver said in a low voice, "This is no place to tell it, Penny."

"Then be this the place to fight it out? Like a pack of dogs fightin' in the road? You two fellers fight it out alone another day."

Oliver said, "I'll fight a man anywhere, that says what Lem said."

Lem said, "And I'll say it again." They started together. Penny pushed between them. He seemed to Jody like a small stout pine tree, bending against a hurricane. The crowd roared. Lem drew back his fist and struck Oliver's head. The blow sounded like the crack of a rifle. Oliver crumpled like a rag doll to the sand and lay still. Penny brought his knuckles under Lem's jaw. Buck and Mill-wheel came at him from the sides. Lem sunk his fist in Penny's ribs. Jody moved with a fury that caught him up from the outside like a strange wind. He sunk his teeth in Lem's wrist. He kicked the big shins. Lem turned, like a bear annoyed by a puppy, and knocked Jody clear of his feet. It seemed to him that Lem struck him again in mid-air. He saw Oliver sway to his feet. He saw Penny's arms swinging like flails. He heard a roaring. It was close at first, then it faded. He dropped into blackness.

JODY THOUGHT, "I dreamed the fighting."

He stared at the ceiling in Grandma Hutto's spare bedroom. A freight steamer was thrashing upstream. He heard the side-wheel paddles drinking the water current of the river. They gulped great wet mouthfuls and let it spill out again. The steamer blew for Volusia landing. He must certainly have only now awakened in the morning. The steamer's chugging filled the river bed and beat against the western wall that was the scrub. He had a nightmare about Oliver Hutto, coming home to fight the Forrester. He turned his head to look out of the window and watch the passing vessel. A sharp pain shot through his neck and shoulder. He could only turn his head part way. Memory went through him, thrusting like the pain.

He thought, "The fighting was true."

It was afternoon. The sun shone in the west across the river. A bright band lay across the counterpane. The pain stopped, but he felt faint and dizzy. There was movement in the room. A rocker creaked.

Grandma Hutto said, "His eyes are open."

He tried to turn his head toward her voice but could not without pain. She leaned over him.

He said, "Hey, Grandma."

She spoke, not to him but to his father. "He's tough as you. He's all right."

Penny appeared on the other side of the bed. One wrist was bandaged and one eye was black. He grinned at Jody.

He said, "We was a big help, you and me."

A cold wet cloth slipped from Jody's forehead. Grandma took it away and laid her hand in its place. She reached her fingers back of his head and felt carefully for the source of his pain. It was in his left jaw, where Lem had struck him, and in the back of his head, where he had hit the sand. It eased under her slow manipulation.

She said, "Say somethin', so I'll know your brains ain't jellied."

"I can't think o' nothin' to say," He added, "Ain't it past dinner-time?"

Penny said, "The only serious hurt could come to him is likely his belly."

He said, "I ain't hungry. I jest seed the sun and I was wonderin'."

She said, "That's all right, Punks."

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

TERRY AND THE PIRATES



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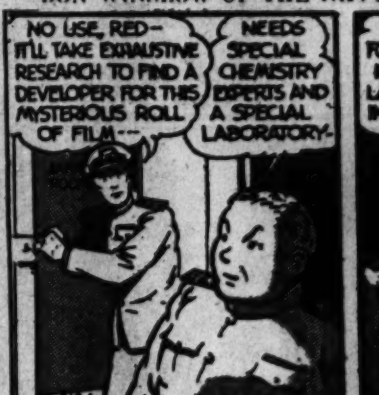
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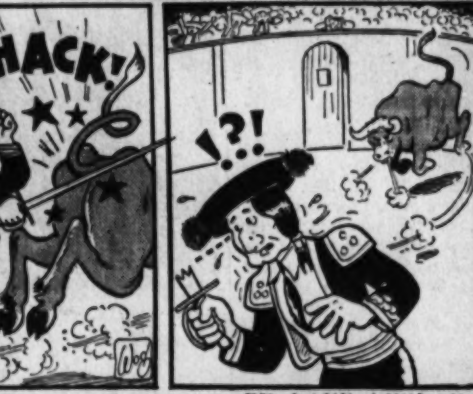
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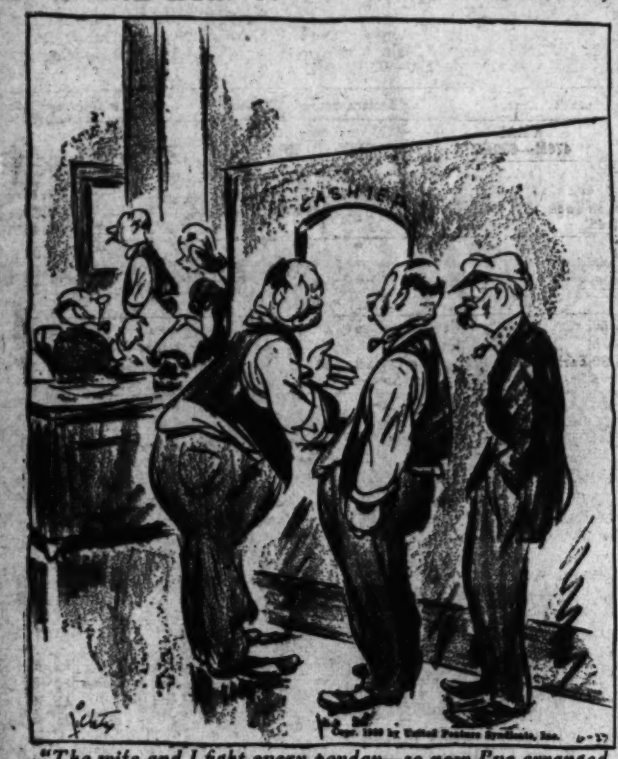


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Daily Cross Word Puzzle



Court Allows Usury Charge Against 2 Here

Baden and Donaldson
Knew of Act, Says
Appeals Tribunal

Two former officials of Washington banks were accused of usury by the United States Court of Appeals yesterday in a decision reaffirming that of a lower court, which declared illegal a "curtail" of \$3,800 and a "bonus" of \$4,200 for extending a note for two years.

James H. Baden, vice president of the Commercial National Bank, now in receivership, and E. Golden Donaldson, chairman of the board of directors of the Mount Vernon Savings Bank, "both knew of the usury," the court held.

Note Sold to Bank

Rossell J. Bowen and M. Bessie Bowen, appellants, executed the note to the Commercial National Bank, payable in May, 1929, the decision stated. When granted an extension, the bonus of \$4,200 was added in, the note increasing to \$39,200. This, according to the record, was sold to the savings bank for \$35,000.

The appellants contended they should have credit for the "interest" payment and consequently owed only \$23,456.

Another decision rendered by the court upheld the Federal Communications Commission in refusing to renew a "temporary" license granted Radio Station WLW, of Cincinnati, to broadcast under 500 kilowatts power for "experimental purposes." From midnight to 6 a. m. according to the decision, the station operates on 500 kilowatts and this was considered sufficient for experiments. For the other hours a return to 50 kilowatts was decreed by the commission.

Stephens Files Dissent

Justice Stephens, in filing a dissenting opinion, objected to the court ruling "until it is necessary to do so on such grave questions as are involved in the alternative stated."

The FCC was upheld also in its refusal to permit "exchange of time" between radio stations KSD and KFUP in St. Louis, the decision being that the public interest would be "served" by maintaining the status quo, rather than by switching time from one station to the other.

"If licenses of established stations should arbitrarily be withdrawn from them and appropriated to the use of other stations" the cause of independent broadcasting would suffer, it was held.

Kitten's Lesson In Walking Puts Owner in Court

If Mittens, tiger-striped cat and pet of the Clayton family, is to learn to walk on a leash, he will have to tutor himself.

That is the opinion of Charles Clayton, 35, who last night reviewed the events of the week-end. Saturday, Clayton was arrested and charged with beating the cat. The charge was dismissed in Police Court yesterday.

Two neighbors, Mrs. Louise Asher and Mrs. Helen McAvoy, both of the 400 block of Seward square southeast, told Judge Walter J. Casey that they called police when they saw Clayton beating Mittens with a strap. Clayton explained he was merely teaching the cat to walk like a dog.

The Claytons live at 215 Fifth street southeast.

Writer Favors Hull Against Roosevelt

Special Dispatch to The Post

Long Beach, L. I. June 26.—An admonition to President Roosevelt to forget any plans he might have to run for a third term "both for his own sake and for the country's sake" was delivered by Raymond Clapper, Washington correspondent, tonight at a dinner of the annual summer conference of the New York State Publishers Association and the New York Associated dailies.

Clapper warned that a third term for the President would subject the Nation to "four more years of paralyzing internal warfare." He suggested, as a means of avoiding this eventually, that Secretary of State Cordell Hull be nominated by the Democrats.

Swapping of Wives, 14 Children Probed

Lapeer, Mich., June 26 (AP).—Prosecutor Thomas C. Taylor disclosed today an investigation into the marital affairs of two Columbiaville, Mich., families he said had agreed to exchange wives and divide up their 14 children equally. The prosecutor said he had been informed the wives of George Davis, 42, and Clarence June, 47, had agreed to exchange places and that the Davis' ten children and the June's four were apportioned so each couple had seven.

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JACKSON'S FIREWORKS

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241 Weird South American Animals Leave New York for District's Zoo



Dr. William M. Mann, director of the National Zoological Park here, and Mrs. Mann are shown examining several of the crated, Brazilian "curasow" birds, brought back with them from the Argentine, as they docked in New York yesterday.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease Quarantine Delays Some, but Dr. Mann Is Hopeful All Will Soon Be on Display in Cages Here

By Gerald G. Gross
A Staff Correspondent

New York, June 26.—Squawking, bellowing, cheeping and hissing, 241 wild animal tenants for the National Zoological Park in Washington arrived here today from South America and tonight were en route to their new home in the Capital.

Custodian of the large and varied collection, containing many species never exhibited in Washington, was Dr. William M. Mann, director of the Zoo, who traveled more than 20,000 miles for his prizes.

Fierce Wildcat in Lot

They include a fierce eyra wildcat, a pair of rare black-necked geese, several deadly serpents, Andean condors (largest of all flying birds), an unusual cayman reptile to give the Zoo its ninth species of crocodilians and one pair each of guanacos and llamas.

Providing a veritable menagerie on the after-deck of the liner Brazil, the beast colony is the largest to come to Washington since Dr. Mann's National Geographic-Smithsonian Expedition of 1937.

The collection, product of an 11-week expedition, consists of 33 mammals, 147 birds and 61 reptiles. But one of the mammals was not among these put aboard the S. S. Brazil when it sailed from Buenos Aires June 9. It was a baby Patagonian cavy—a large rodent—which was born in mid-ocean.

Oddities Aboard

Among the oddities of the lot are a hurne, queer weasel-like creature; a pair of striking king vultures, said a red-spotted turtle, which was brought back especially for Dr. L. Stejneger, octogenarian curator of biology at the Smithsonian Institution.

Other specimens include a pair of viscachas, which is a mouse magnified about 200 times; a bevy of baby ostriches, and a half-dozen flamingoes. All the mammals, birds and reptiles cleared the importation hurdles without incident, except for the guanacos and llamas. These are hooved animals and because of hoof-and-mouth disease in South America, there was still some doubt as to whether they could enter.

Dr. Mann testified to the perfect health of the four creatures, but another day or two of negotiating seemed likely before a decision is handed down.

Round Out Collection

"The trip was undertaken to round out our South American collection," said Dr. Mann. "The things we brought back will bolster especially our bird group, the llama department and our collection of small mammals. Take the tinamon, for example. That's a common game bird below the equator, but the Zoo hasn't had one in years and years."

Most exciting incident of the trip? That was the time, said Dr. Mann, that a full grown Texas wolf, among animals taken south to trade with zoos there, gnawed out of its cage on the outbound voyage and crested consternation aboard ship before recapture.

"It was the first load of animals I ever carried," said Capt. Harry N. Saddler, Virginia-born master of

the S. S. Brazil, when he brought his ship safely into port. "And it wasn't bad at all. Say, those baby ostriches are cute, aren't they?" Two members of the liners crew, Charles Bauer and Jack Brown, became so attached to their charges, especially the Patagonian baby ostriches, that they're using part of their shore leave to come to Washington and see the collection on exhibition.

Catholic Thespians Meet Here Today

The Rev. Daniel A. Lord, S. J., will preach today at the opening mass for the Catholic Theater Convention in the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception at Catholic University at which the Most Rev. Eugene J. McGuinness, D. D., Bishop of Raleigh, N. C., will preside.

The play cycle in its relation to the Catholic Theater will be discussed at 4 p. m. by Emmet Laverty, the Rev. F. G. Dinneen, S. J., and Courtney Savage. Mgr. Joseph M. Corrigan, S. T. D., rector of the university, will welcome the delegates to the two-day convocation at 10:45 a. m. in the gymnasium, and the keynote address will be delivered by the Rev. James J. Larney, O. P. S. T. D. A three-act play by Leo Brady, a student at the university, will be presented at 8:30 p. m.

Dr. Smith to Learn Her Status Today

The District Commissioners today will announce their decision on the two-year-old dismissal of Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith as superintendent of the National Training School for Girls, after three weeks of testimony on conditions at the school before, during and after Dr. Smith's regime.

Possibilities are a confirmation of Dr. Smith's summary discharge, an opportunity for her to resign now "without prejudice" or reinstatement as superintendent.

Tests to Pick 'Career' Bank Examiners

Civil Service to Give Examinations for FDIC Supervisors

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation has undertaken to make the job of examining banks a career service and, in order to carry out the plan, henceforth will select assistant examiners exclusively through competitive examinations.

President Roosevelt's executive order of last February placing the agency under civil service is responsible for the policy.

Early next month, it was learned yesterday, the Civil Service Commission will invite applications from college graduates and junior bankers who desire to become bank examiners. Date of the examinations will be fixed later.

Candidates will have to undergo written and oral tests. The written portion is intended to test their general intelligence, education, knowledge of banking and aptitudes. Quickness of perception and comprehension, speech and expression, poise, self-confidence and appearance will be measured through the oral tests.

Successful candidates will be placed on eligibility lists for the FDIC districts in which they live. Salary to start is \$2,000 annually.

Leo T. Crowley, FDIC chairman, said that "in fairness to insured banks the corporation must bend every effort to improve bank examinations and supervision."

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Willie Bullock Goes on Trial in Shinault Death

Witness Describes
Policeman's Shooting
During Quarrel

After 7 years as a fugitive from justice, Willie Bullock, 38-year-old colored man, went to trial in District Court yesterday charged with the first degree murder of Police Officer George W. Shinault.

The trial will be continued at 10 a. m. today before Justice Laws, with Arthur J. McLaughlin, Assistant District Attorney, in charge of prosecution.

Eye-Witness Testifies

Willie Pearson, colored, testified yesterday afternoon that he was an eye-witness to the shooting of Shinault in front of 30 F street northwest on August 14, 1932.

According to Pearson, Bullock and Susie Fletcher, his "girl," were quarreling loudly when the police scout car arrived to investigate the disturbance. Shinault stepped from the automobile, he said, and asked: "What's going on here?"

Had Slain Bonus Marcher

"Willie backed away and shot twice," Mr. Shinault backed away groaning and called to the other officer in the car to be careful. Pearson declared.

Shinault was slain only a few weeks after he had fatally shot a Chicago war veteran during the bonus march riots of July 28, 1932.

Capital to Get No Food Stamps

With Seattle, Wash., scheduled to go on the list of "food stamp" cities Monday, the Department of Agriculture is preparing to push ahead fast with its plan of issuing stamps to divert surplus food stuffs to the needy. Other cities may be announced this week also and will most likely be drawn from those in the corn belt of the South. There are already 30 or 40 on the list which the Department is considering.

Unless changes are made in the plans, there will be a chance of the Capital joining the group. The urban centers selected will not have a population much in excess of 300,000 and they must have a typical relief problem. Washington does not fit into the first requirement and so far as the Department of Agriculture has been able to ascertain, the preponderance of local population made up of salaried Federal employees will not allow it to fit into the second.

Glass Reappears On Capitol Hill

For the first time since he became ill June 18, Senator Carter Glass (Democrat) of Virginia, appeared on Capitol Hill yesterday. He spent a full day on the Senate floor and in his offices. His physician last night said he "stood it well."

Redcaps to Get Hearing Today On Whether Tips Are Wages

Three Union Station Porters to Be Among
15 From All Over Country Protesting
Inclusion of Dimes as Part of Their Pay

Red caps will have their say today about what becomes of their tips when Willard S. Townsend, president of the International Brotherhood of Red Caps, appears for them at hearings to be conducted this morning by Dr. Gustaf Peck, assistant chief of the Hearings and Exemption Section of the Wage and Hours Division of the Department of Labor.

Whether that extra dime for "service rendered" should be counted as part of their salary, or whether it shall be recorded separately—and how recorded—will be discussed. Three porters who have put in from 20 to 35 years of service here at Union Station are scheduled to be among 15 from all over the country

to attend the hearings. They are Douglas Johnson, James Mitchell and Ernest Fenwick.

Since enactment of the wages and hours law, the traveling public has been keeping its change in its pocket under the belief that red caps are being paid a straight 25 cents an hour. Under the present arrangement, however, this has not been the case. Their daily wages under the existing plan have included their tips with the balance made up by employers.

The question today is what if any amendments should be made to regulations issued by the administrator of the fair labor standards act to require special or additional reports to be kept by employers of red caps.

Neigh! The Horses Say as Each Pony Gets a Bite at Law

Special Cable to The Post

London, June 26.—The principle that a pony as well as a dog is entitled to a "first bite" at a human being, became firmly established in British law today.

All that matters is that the animal must possess an unblemished past. If so, the victim may not recover damages and his only legal remedy would be to bite back.

This latest addition to the topography of jurisprudence was contributed today by Mr. Justice Humphreys in setting aside a jury's award of £300 (\$1,410) to a middle-aged London woman, who sued a dairy company for injury when a milkman's pony lunged, knocked her to the ground, pawed her and grazed her face with its teeth.

Sen. Thomas Joins Third-Term Drive

By International News Service

Bolester support for the "Draft-Roosevelt-in-1940" drive, Senator Thomas (Democrat) of Oklahoma, yesterday endorsed President Roosevelt for a third term.

The Oklahomaan said: "I can see no available candidate who can so well carry out a liberal and progressive administration as President Roosevelt. . . I shall waive my inherent prejudice against any person being elected three times, in favor of the election of a candidate who, in my opinion, will continue to carry out liberal and progressive policies."

Democrats to Elect

Connecticut Democratic Club of the District will hold its annual election at a business meeting at 8:30 tonight at the Continental Hotel, it was announced yesterday.

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